

Cloudy with occasional light snow or freezing rain today, cloudy and slightly colder tonight; Wednesday partly cloudy with moderate temperature. Warren temp.: High 38, low 24. Sunrise 8:42. Sunset 6:08.

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NAZIS ARE SURRENDERING BY THE HUNDREDS

BULLETIN

London, Jan. 4.—(P)—The Russians today captured Belaya Tserkov, 40 miles southwest of Kiev on the Smela-Fastov line, Premier Joseph Stalin announced tonight. The German garrison holding out in this town only recently was reported as reinforced in a desperate effort to save this Nazi bastion, which had been by-passed and virtually cut off by the advance of the right flank of Gen. Nikolai Vatutin's armies to the southwest toward Vinnytsa. Stalin's order of the day was broadcast by the Moscow radio and recorded by the Soviet Monitor.

By HENRY C. CASSIDY

Moscow, Jan. 4.—(P)—Red army forces under Gen. Nikolai Vatutin, liberator of Kiev, were rolling over the flat terrain of old Poland today after capturing the former frontier town of Olevsk and smashing their way across the pre-war Russian-Polish border.

Fall of Olevsk and Novgorod-Volynski, 42 miles to the south, was announced last night in a Russian communique which declared that

170 villages had been recaptured in the swift Soviet advance. Front line dispatches disclosed that Russian vanguards, pushing on rapidly from Olevsk along the Kiev-Varsaw railway, had crossed the old frontier a short time later.

The spearhead advancing from Olevsk, a former customs station 135 miles northwest of Kiev, was supported on the left by another column which had occupied Emilchino 28 miles to the southeast.

The point at which the Russians crossed the old pre-war Polish border is approximately 150 miles east of the frontier from which the Germans launched their invasion of Russia after the partition of Poland, and is about 300 miles from Warsaw.

(The Russians made no official comment on the crossing of the old border, which no longer is recognized by Moscow as an international boundary line.)

The southern wing of Vatutin's army, meanwhile was plunging on from captured Dzerzhinsk, 35 miles southwest of Zhitomir, in a drive which Marshal Fritz Von Mannstein's rearguards have appeared unable to check ever since eight Nazi tank and 13 infantry divisions were defeated in the battle of the Kiev bulge.

At no point along the 60-mile wide drive on old Poland, apparently, was von Mannstein able to rally his fleeing, demoralized troops for a stand against the slashing Russian offensive. More than 6,000 Germans were reported slain yesterday—the 11th day of Vatutin's unchecked onslaught.

The Nazis, said the Russians, were throwing down their arms and going "over to the side of the Red army" by entire companies.

Tremendous quantities of war equipment of every description was gathered up by the advancing Red army forces.

While Premier Stalin signaled the Red army advance by an order of the day announcing the capture of Novograd-Volynski, other

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United States Marauder Medium Bombers Stage Raids in Wake of RAF Mosquito Forays

ALL RETURN SAFELY

New York, Jan. 4.—(P)—Radio France at Algiers said today the Allied Fifth Army in Italy had "carried out a new raid beyond the Garigliano river, penetrating a mile and a half into German positions." U. S. government monitors heard the broadcast.

By AUSTIN BEALMER

London, Jan. 4.—(P)—United States Marauder medium bombers heavily attacked military objectives in the Pas de Calais area of France today in the wake of RAF Mosquito forays into western Germany. All planes returned from both operations.

The Marauders were escorted by RAF, Dominion and Allied fighters.

As the day advanced the German-controlled Danish radio left the air followed by the Norwegian long-range transmitters at Oslo and Tromsø. This sometimes is an indication that British or American aircraft are overhead in those areas.

Shortly after 10 a. m. (5 a. m. EWT) a force of medium bombers strongly escorted by fighters, swept out across the English channel in the direction of Pas de Calais, rumored site of emplacement for Germany's "rocket guns."

The attack on western Germany last night by the speedy Mosquito

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BULLETINS

London, Jan. 4.—(P)—The government of Elire has decided to intern 162 German naval officers and men picked up by an Irish motor vessel after last week's Bay of Biscay action in which three German destroyers were sunk.

New Delhi, Jan. 4.—(P)—A veteran of 36 years in the regular army, Maj. Gen. Daniel Isom Sultan, 58, has been appointed deputy commander in chief of U. S. army forces in China, Burma and India, under Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stilwell.

New York, Jan. 4.—(P)—Authors of the new Soviet anthem have received cash prizes totaling \$37,740. Tass said today in a dispatch recorded by the Federal Communications Commission.

London, Jan. 4.—(P)—A Reuters dispatch from Cairo today quoted a statement of the Yugoslav government in exile as saying that officers of the royal Yugoslav army stationed in the Middle East had begun a movement to join the partisan army of Marshal Josip Broz (Tito) and present a common front to the Germans.

Shipton-Under-Wychwood, Oxfordshire, Jan. 4.—(P)—A petition demanding removal of Sir Oswald Mosley, former head of British Fascists, and his return to prison

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ALLIED FLIERS BATTER TURIN RAILWAY YARD

Fortresses Also Knock Out Important Bearing Plant At Villa Perosa In North Italy

INDIANS DRIVE INLAND

By WES GALLAGHER

Allied Headquarters, Algiers, Jan. 4.—(P)—U. S. Flying Fortresses knocked out the bearing plant at Villa Perosa in northern Italy yesterday and battered the Turin railway yards, it was announced today, while a ground Eighth Army Indian troops seized a hill and advanced inland from the Adriatic.

Soggy terrain stymied large-scale land fighting, but American troops probed defenses of San Vittore guarding the Rome road, and other patrols also stirred up the Nazis.

Allied fliers wrecked or damaged dozens out of hundreds of German supply trucks found snow-bound in mountain passes, and bombed the Yugoslav ports of Split and Sibenik.

The Fortresses of the 15th Air Force, soaring out for the first time under command of Maj.-Gen. Nathan Twining, wrecked the main building of the Villa Perosa plant producing eight per cent of the Nazis' output of bearings. Villa Perosa is 23 miles southwest of Turin.

On the Eighth Army front, Indian forces captured a hill a mile and a half from recently-won Tonasso, and advanced up the road from Ortona almost to Tolla, five miles inland.

The Nazis replied to American patrol stabs on the Fifth Army sector with a shelling of Mignano. The main Fortress blow was delivered against Villa Perosa, and photographs showed the main building, 600 by 1,200 feet, at the bearing plant was hit directly. Other hits were scored on nearby buildings apparently housing workers.

Steel Industry Over-Supplied Murray Says

Pittsburgh, Jan. 4.—(P)—So far as talk about steel strikes is concerned, says Philip Murray, CIO president, the industry now is turning out more than the war effort can use and the excess capacity should be turned immediately into essential civilian goods.

"Can I count on your help?" the union leader asked in a telegram he sent last night to WPB Chairman Donald M. Nelson with a copy to Gen. George C. Marshall, chief of staff.

Murray said he knew of at least 64 open hearth and electric steel furnaces now out of production with a total capacity of 87,000 tons weekly or enough steel for "seven 12,000-ton cruisers or 18 new Victory ships."

Then Murray turned to last week's remarks by an unnamed high authority in Washington that threatened steel and railroad strikes might prolong the European war because of psychological use of the threat by German propagandists.

"There must be little 'psychological comfort' for the enemy in this amazing (production) record," he stated. "When our bombers fly over Europe they drop steel encased bombs and not psychological bombs."

DAVIS HAS NEW PLAN

Elkins Park, Jan. 4.—(P)—Sen. James J. Davis (R-Pa.) speaking before the newly elected Cheltenham township commissioners here last night, said he may introduce a bill making it mandatory for servicemen to remain in the armed forces until they obtain private employment.

Knox Reports Opposition In Air in Pacific

Washington, Jan. 4.—(P)—Secretary of the Navy Knox reported today that American air forces are "continuing to soften up" the Marshall Islands and are encountering weak opposition in the air. He referred to continuing raids on enemy bases at Wotje, Kwajalein, Mille, Jaluit and other bases. "We are putting the enemy on the defensive throughout that region," the secretary said at a news conference.

There have been several aerial engagements, he said, but American forces have suffered few losses.

In retaliation, the Japanese have made two raids on American posi-

tions at Tarawa and one on Makin island.

"Most of the bombs fell into the water," Knox said.

Throughout the south Pacific area, he added, "enemy air strength seems to be very weak and in such actions as have taken place the Japanese have been on the defensive."

Knox asserted that the Germans "are imitating the Japanese" in making fantastic claims. He referred specifically to a Berlin broadcast which said that 21 United Nations destroyers had been sunk by U-boats in the last ten days. On the contrary, he said, the only recent sinking was that of a destroyer which was torpedoed on the Atlantic December 24.

Twins Born in Different Years!



Daniel, left, arrived at 12:03 a. m. Jan. 1, 1944, while David was born at 11:47 p. m. Dec. 31, 1943—16 minutes apart. They're shown with their mother, Mrs. Harold Lascelle, in a Milwaukee, Wis., hospital.

30 Indicted In Campaign To Incite Mutiny

Plan to Set Up Fascist Regime in This Country Is Charged

TWO WOMEN NAMED

By KARL R. BAUMAN

Washington, Jan. 4.—(P)—Two women and 28 men were under indictment today in a widening investigation of what the Justice Department called a Nazi propaganda campaign to incite mutiny in the armed forces and set up a Fascist regime in this country.

The defendants, some of whom were named in a previous indictment by a federal grand jury of recent charging sedition, were accused of conspiring "with each other and with officials of the government of the German Reich and leaders and members of the Nazi party" to:

"Advise, counsel, urge and cause insubordination, disloyalty, mutiny and refusal of duty by members of the military and naval forces of the United States."

The defendants include George Sylvester Viereck, long a German propagandist in this country, and already under sentence for violating the foreign agents' registration act; Joseph E. McWilliams, organizer of the Christian Mobilizers; Elizabeth Dilling, author of the "Red Network" and other publications; William Dudley Pelley, leader of the Silver Shirts, who is under a 15-year sentence for violating the sedition act, and

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Exact Situation In Bulgaria Obscured

London, Jan. 4.—(P)—While the Berlin radio dismissed today as "inventions" reports that the pro-German government of Bulgaria had been overthrown, dispatches from Turkey said the belief persisted there that Premier Dobri Bojilov's cabinet was on the verge of collapse if it had not actually fallen.

The exact situation in Bulgaria, however, Istanbul advisers said, was obscured by continued interruption of normal means of communication with Sofia.

Telephone and telegraph communication between Bulgaria and Turkey was broken off suddenly yesterday without explanation.

The Istanbul advisers said it was freely predicted by persons in contact with Bulgaria and Rumania that popular movements in both countries might attempt organized revolts against the Germans within the next two weeks if the Russian southwestern advance continues.

Elephant to Yield Fat to Fight Axis

Detroit, Jan. 4.—(P)—Anita's death was not in vain. Hundreds of pounds of fat which easy living added to her huge framework will be used for explosives to be hurled against the Axis.

Anita, a 12,000-pound elephant, was a favorite at the Detroit zoo. She injured herself so badly in a fall at the elephant house moat that she had to be destroyed.

The Wayne County War Salvage committee secured the promise of a fat rendering company today to handle the carcass. Two other companies had turned the offer down for lack of facilities.

Identity Of High Authority Is Undisclosed

By JACKSON S. ELLIOTT

Washington, Jan. 4.—(P)—Demands were intensified today that the recent statement that Axis propaganda based on American rail and steel disputes had prolonged the war and cost Allied lives be supported publicly or recanted by the anonymous author.

Authorship of the statement was attributed to Gen. George C. Marshall by AFL President William Green who said the chief of staff "was reported" to have made it, and he challenged him to prove it. There was no immediate comment from Marshall.

Following a vague reference to the source by White House Secretary Stephen Early as "a little bit more military" than President Roosevelt, a storm of protest arose over the statement and the anonymity of it.

In Congress, one Republican, two Democrats and Senator La Follette, Wisconsin Progressive, joined in voicing a belief that the unidentified personage should assume the burden of responsibility for the statement.

Part of State Is Gripped By Wintry Wave

Johnstown, Jan. 4.—(P)—King winter slapped an icy, wet hand on western Pennsylvania today.

Snow and rain fell for almost 24 hours without stopping in most sections of the upper Ohio river watershed, filling many streams brimful and giving an early test to recently complete federal flood control projects here and near

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Dem Leaders In West Area Meet

Pittsburgh, Jan. 4.—(P)—Democratic candidates nominations for state treasurer and auditor general already have developed as State Chairman David L. Lawrence and U. S. Senator Joseph P. Guffey called in western Pennsylvania county chairman today for a conference on party policies.

John F. Breslin, of Carbon county, executive assistant to auditor General F. Clair Ross, announced his candidacy in Harrisburg yesterday, after State Treasurer G. Harold Wagner had come out for auditor general.

Ross is expected to run for an Appellate court seat.

Lawrence and Guffey will confer here today and tomorrow and later will meet in Harrisburg where their decisions may be announced. The two have split more than once in the past, with Lawrence favoring endorsement of candidates by the state committee and Guffey opposing. However—in discussions so far they appear agreed upon one issue, a fourth term for President Roosevelt.

BISHOP TO RETIRE

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—(P)—Bishop Ernest G. Richardson, resident head of the Methodist Church in the Philadelphia area, has announced he will retire this spring.

Bishop Richardson will be 70 next month, the retirement age under the church law. He has served the church for 48 years, 24 of which were spent as a bishop here and in Atlanta, Ga. He was president of the Anti-Saloon League of America in 1932.

Borough Council Reorganizes For Year Without Making Any Important Changes in Offices

Warren borough's Town Council closed business for 1943 last night and opened a new chapter for 1944 at the sessions held last evening. The old council held a short session and then adjourned sine die.

Burgess Raymond Steber presided at the organization meeting of the new council and the gavel fell at 8:05 summoning the new body into session. Certificates of election for all newly-elected and re-elected members were presented. Three new faces appeared in the organization—Stewart Kuhre, Vanold Erickson and Ward Painter. Two candidates for president were placed in nomination, Forest Waite and Roy Krebs, and Mr. Waite was elected.

The salary of the borough secretary was placed at \$2,178 and Mrs. Marjorie Dougherty was elected. Her bond was fixed at \$5,000.

Harold Hampson was then nominated as president pro tem and took the chair, Burgess Steber retiring.

The salary of the borough treasurer was fixed at \$55 per year and W. W. Beatty was elected to the office, his bond fixed at \$25,000 and it was approved.

The salary of the Borough Engineer was set at \$11 per day for each day he is employed and C. W. Barvis was elected to the post and his bond in the sum of \$3,000.

The salary of the Street Commissioner was fixed at \$229.90 per month and E. T. Beck was re-elected.

The salary of the Chief of Police was set at \$229.90 and George Haehn was re-elected. Lieutenant salary was fixed at \$176; two at \$170.50. Other patrolmen for the first six months in service will receive \$139.15; for the next six months \$151.25 and thereafter \$163.35.

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Senator Vandenberg Favors Conventions as Early as June

TO AID SOLDIER VOTE

By JACK BELL
Washington, Jan. 4.—(P)—An early start for the presidential campaign with June conventions for both major parties was advocated today by Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich.) to facilitate absentee voting by members of the armed forces.

Vandenberg, who supported the senate-rejected Green-Lucas federal ballot bill, told a reporter he is convinced that if service men are to vote in November, presidential nominations must be made by July 1 at the latest.

Vandenberg said he was informed that millions of postcards which could be used to obtain absentee ballots from the states already had been placed in the hands of troops by the War Department under the 1942 federal service voting law. That law waived state qualifications for service voters, such as registration and the payment of poll taxes.

It was his contention that if the Democratic and Republican national conventions are held early enough, it would be practicable for the states to print ballots containing the names of all candidates for state and national offices and get them to the troops.

The suggestion seemed likely to be well received by most Republicans, but many Democrats have

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SEN. CARTER GLASS HAS 86TH BIRTHDAY

Washington, Jan. 4.—(P)—Senator Carter Glass of Virginia, who first came to congress in 1901 and whose service there has been interrupted only by two years as secretary of the treasury, reached his 86th milestone today and viewed it as "just another birthday he preferred to forget."

Only calls by a few of the senator's most intimate friends and a birthday cake set this apart from the quiet days which he and Mrs. Glass have been spending in their hotel suite here.

Wilson is Facing Contempt Charge

Mercer, Jan. 4.—(P)—Everett Wilson, 46, on whose dairy farm near here occurred a triple slaying Oct. 7, was free in \$1,000 bond today to await hearing in March on a contempt of court charge.

The hearing date was set by Judge George H. Rowley when Wilson's attorney, John McWilliams, presented a petition in which he asked a delay while he obtained dispositions from a Washington, D. C., physician.

The depositions, he said, would explain Wilson's failure to appear at a grand jury investigation into the slayings a month ago. His absence from the investigation led to filing of the contempt charge.

Wilson is facing a charge of

care of quickly, the others may drag on longer.

But the British and Americans will have to help clean up Nazi terrorists, the son of Czechoslovakia's first president declared. He added:

"There must be a firing squad of British grenadiers in Prague." After the Nazis who participated actively in atrocities have been wiped out, Masaryk said there would have to be a period of quarantine for Germany.

"There must be good Germans," he said, "but they will have to prove themselves."

Masaryk placed security as the first requisite of post war Europe and said he believed continuing cooperation among the big three could achieve the security necessary to prevent a third World War.

The important ones will be taken

Czech Points Out Cowardice Behind the German Strategy

By FLORA LEWIS

Washington, Jan. 4.—(P)—Jan Masaryk, Czechoslovakian foreign minister, predicted today that Hitler won't live long enough to be tried as a war criminal.

"He'll either be taken care of by the military or commit suicide," Masaryk told an interviewer.

People seem to forget, he went on, that there is cowardice behind the Nazi strategy.

Masaryk, who plans to return to London shortly, has been in this country as chief of the Czech delegation to the United Nations relief conference at Atlantic City.

Discussing the trials of war criminals by Allied Nations after the war, he said there will be two kinds:

The important ones will be taken

JAPS PAYING HEAVILY TO HOLD THRUSTS

Guarding Hemmed-in Bases In Southwest Pacific is Costly Operation For Nipponese

WARSHIPS DAMAGED

By MORRIS LANDSBERG

Associated Press War Editor
The Japanese are paying an increasingly heavy price to fight off thrusts at their hemmed-in bases in the southwest Pacific while American troops are building up invasion-won wedges in the enemy's own defense system.

Allied planes, striking in the New Guinea-New Britain-New Ireland sector, bombed key enemy points, damaged four warships and destroyed at least 33 Nipponese planes.

In the central Pacific, a Japanese broadcast said, 14 Mitchell bombers struck at Tarao in a continuation of the regular aerial assault on the Marshall Islands. Two of the raiders were reported shot down.

The picture on the Allied side was one of progress and development of facilities seized from the Japanese in three recent landing operations.

U. S. Marines widened their beachhead at Cape Gloucester on the western end of New Britain as patrols advanced from the eastern and western flanks. The first American plane, a flying boat, landed at Borgen Bay to deliver vital equipment. Sea-Bees, meanwhile

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INDUCTEE PUNCHES DRAFT BOARD CLERK

Latrobe, Jan. 4.—(P)—A 25-year-old former steel worker, father of two children, was held in jail today, charged with storming into the draft board office, demanding of Chief Clerk Grace Keltz "what the hell did you send me to the navy for," and punching her on the jaw.

Chief of Police Charles Hough said he arrested Bernard Vid, of Dorothy, Pa., who was inducted only five weeks ago into the navy, after Miss Keltz charged him with assault and battery and asked for surety of the peace.

Frank Herring, justice of the peace, held Vid under \$4,000 bond and said he was told further action involving violation of the selective training act might be preferred by FBI agents.

Loss of Destroyer Revealed by Navy

Washington, Jan. 4.—(P)—The navy yesterday disclosed the loss of a destroyer in the Atlantic on Christmas Eve, by an enemy torpedo. The announcement followed by only a few hours, the destruction of another, near the entrance to lower New York bay, by two blasts of undetermined origin.

The destroyers were the 41st and 42nd lost since the start of the war of a total of 137 naval vessels of all types which have been lost through enemy action, accident or destruction to prevent capture.

The navy communique on the Atlantic sinking did not disclose whether the torpedo had been fired by a submarine, airplane or surface craft.

The blasts which sank the destroyer at New York hurled men and guns into the sea. Coast guardsmen rescued 135 men, including 108 wounded before the ship went down.

Probe Starts Into Destroyer Mishap

New York, Jan. 4.—(P)—The commander of the destroyer fleet in this area began today assembling a full report on the explosion that ripped apart and sank a United States destroyer near the entrance of lower New York bay yesterday.

An official announcement said the report would be forwarded to Washington and that "following established naval practice the number of dead, casualty lists and other related data will be made public through the Navy Department in Washington."

While there was no statement regarding the number of men aboard or the cause of the blast, the navy did disclose that coast guardsmen rescued 163 persons, including 108 injured, soon after the ship sank in a mass of flames six miles northeast of Sandy Hook, N. J.

In wartime, destroyers normally carry crews ranging from 150 to 300 men.

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For Our Big January Clearance Sale

Starting Thursday Morning at 9:15 O'clock

for the Full Details in Tomorrow's Times-Mirror

You Will Find Worthwhile Savings in Women's Quality Apparel

Tentative Budget President To Council by Finance Committee

At the regular meeting of the Town Council held last evening the tentative budget for the coming year was presented by Chairman Roy Krebs of the finance committee. The budget is worthy of study by all citizens of the city and a copy will be at the office of the borough secretary, where it may be seen and where information relative to it may be secured until the next meeting of the Town Council on February 7.

The budget does not carry any increase in wages for the police, fire, street and park departments as had been requested by the employees of those departments in a petition filed some weeks ago. In order to hold the budget within the figures as shown by the tentative budget, it was found that, due to bond payments, the sinking fund would not have to be as large as for the past year and some millage could be saved there, and no appropriation was made for sanitary sewers, by which some money was saved.

Mr. Krebs' report on the budget was highly interesting and shows that the total proposed expenditures for the year 1944 will amount to \$160,725. The estimates are very close for the coming year and the difference between the estimated receipts and expenditures is only \$875. Nearly all appropriations were trimmed to some extent.

The proposed budget is as follows:

STATEMENT OF PROPOSED RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE YEAR 1944

Anticipated Receipts:			
From Current Tax Levy, 1944 (General Fund—13.6 Mills)	\$149,600.00		
Miscellaneous Revenue	12,000.00	\$161,600.00	
Proposed Appropriations:			
I. General Government			
Administration	\$ 7,108.00		
Tax Collection	10,000.00		
Borough Buildings	5,502.00	22,610.00	
II. Protection to Persons and Property			
Police	26,900.00		
Fire	35,220.00		
Water (Hyd. Rental, Upk)	9,800.00	71,920.00	
III. Health and Sanitation			
Board of Health	3,475.00		
Sanitary Sewers	1,500.00	4,975.00	
IV. Highways			
Streets	24,755.00		
Bridges	500.00		
Sidewalks	500.00		
Street Lighting	13,500.00	39,255.00	
V. Library			
Warren Library Assn.	6,000.00	6,000.00	
VI. Recreation			
Parks and Playgrounds	7,650.00	7,650.00	
VII. Special Services			
Airport	1,500.00		
Scales	115.00	1,615.00	
IX. Miscellaneous			
Insurance	4,000.00		
Military and Civic Contrib.	1,000.00		
Public Service	250.00		
Interest and Costs	100.00		
Miscellaneous (General)	1,000.00		
Civil Service Commission	350.00	6,700.00	
Total Proposed Expenditures (General Fund) 1944		\$160,725.00	
Difference Between Anticipated Receipts and Expenditures		\$75.00	

STATEMENT OF PROPOSED RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FOR YEAR 1944

Anticipated Receipts:			
From Current Tax Levy, 1944 (Other Funds)	\$26,400.00	\$ 26,400.00	
Proposed Appropriations:			
Sinking Fund (2.4 Mills)	\$26,400.00	\$26,400.00	
Total Proposed Expenditures (Other Funds) 1944		\$ 26,400.00	
Difference Between Anticipated Receipts and Expenditures		None	

Obituary

JOSEPH E. MINOR

Sheffield, Jan. 4.—Joseph Exley Minor died at his home shortly after noon on Monday. He was born May 8, 1866 in Jefferson county and had resided most of his life in Ridgway. He was affiliated with Elk Lodge, No. 379, P. and A. M., and was a member of Coudersport Consistory.

In 1889 he was married to Letitia Borkert and five children were born to them, four of whom survive; Mrs. Blanche Diehl, Ridgway; Mrs. Mark Blair, East Brady; Mrs. Ruth Caldwell, Johnstown; Mrs. Ella Stewart, Emonton. There are also 14 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren. In 1898 he was united in marriage to Mary Haney, who preceded him.

After retiring from the employ of the Elliot Company at Ridgway, he returned to Sheffield on August 19, 1938. She survives, also, with two brothers and one sister: Stephen L. of Cleveland; Alvin H., of Brookway; and Mrs. Grace Cook, Elmira, N. Y.

He was a member of the Church of Christ in Ridgway and funeral services will be held there at 2:30 p. m. Thursday, conducted by Rev. Jesse B. Porten. Friends may call at the VanAken Funeral home prior to services.

DONALD GORDON CURRY

Donald Gordon Curry, 11 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Curry, Bear Lake RD 1 died in the WCA hospital in Jamestown Monday at 2 a. m. after an illness of two weeks.

Besides his parents he is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Floyd Curry, of Erie; Mrs. James Parker, of Warren; Mrs. Ray Ropi, of Erie; Private Sherman Curry, of Fort Dix; Private David Curry, of Chamute Field; Robert, Annabelle, Deloris and Phyllis all at home. His grandparents Mr. and Mrs. George Curry, of DuBois and Mrs. Ann Yates, of Erie also survive.

Funeral services will be held from the home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock with interment in the Wrightsville cemetery.

MRS. MARY STRONG

Word has been received here that Mrs. Mary Strong, widow of Isaac Strong and former resident of Kinzua, died last Saturday in Louisville, Ky. She leaves a son, George, of Louisville, and three grandchildren; also a sister, Mrs. Elmer Gilman, of Bradford. Funeral services are being held in Louisville.

War production by the automotive industry reached \$725,000,000 in June, 1943, compared with \$384,000,000 for June, 1942.

Jane Karen Still Lucky Warren Baby

Well the events of the last few moments of New Year's are rapidly drawing to a close. The Baby Derby has been run off and little Jane Karen Still, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Still, 212 Connecticut avenue wins in a bassinette. The little girl entered this old world at 1:47 a. m. New Year's morning just one hour and forty-seven minutes after the bells and whistles didn't welcome the New Year. No other reports came in and Mr. and Mrs. Still will now be entitled to call at the various stores and secure the gifts for the young lady.

Miss 1944 will receive some handsome gifts from the merchants and among them are a gold chain from the Darling Jewelry Company; new shoes from Brown's Boot Shop; Esmond blankets from the Metzgar-Wright Company; Stokes Studio has a half dozen photographs; The J. C. Penney Company has a comfort and the Warren County Dairy will give \$2 worth of milk; The S. S. Kresge Company had a bed spread for the young miss and the G. C. Murphy Company has two nice blankets and the Mullen Drug store has for her \$2 in merchandise and the Blomquist Furniture Company has a bathrobe awaiting. All in all it's a fortunate little miss, this Jane Karen Still.

Obituary

MRS. AUGUSTA GUSTAFSON

Mrs. Augusta Gustafson, widow of Victor Gustafson, died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Matilda Sampson, 117 Bush street, Jamestown, N. Y., at 7:50 p. m. December 31. She was 78 years of age.

She is survived by four daughters, the Misses Emma and Olive Gustafson, of Jamestown; Mrs. Albert Milen, of Youngsville; Mrs. Harold Fuller, of Fredonia; One son, Alden, of Buffalo, also survives. Ten grandchildren and four great-grandchildren survive.

Prayer service was held Monday at the home in Jamestown at 1 p. m. with Dr. F. V. Hanson officiating. Funeral services were held at the Chancellors Valley Lutheran church of which Mrs. Gustafson was a member, with the Rev. Wallace Johnson as pastor. Interment was made in the Lutheran church cemetery with the following as bearers: Robert, Rexford, and Albert Milen; Harold Fuller, Paul Gustafson and Donald Gustafson.

Those from away attending the services were: Mrs. Alden Gustafson, of Buffalo; Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Fuller, of Riverhead; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Milen, of McHenry and Fred Brooks, of Youngsville; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gustafson, of Cleveland; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Milen and Mrs. Oscar Ryden, of Erie and Rexford Milen, of Warren.

IVAN R. GREENLUND

Funeral services in memory of Ivan R. Greenlund were held from the family home, 112½ East street, at two o'clock Saturday afternoon, conducted by Dr. Harold C. Warren and followed by interment in Oakland cemetery. The following served as bearers: W. Davidson, H. R. Smith, W. M. Crouse, R. E. Ward, F. A. Keller and F. W. Jefferson.

Those who came from away to attend the rites were Pvt. Charles Greenlund, Denver, Colo., and Miss Ora Schnell, Youngsville.

BLACKOUTS 400 YEARS AGO

More than 400 years ago, when the German city of Frankfurt was threatened with attack, civic authorities ordered all upper windows darkened to hide the city from the enemy, apparently blackouts aren't new.

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TIMES TOPICS

IS SUPPER NIGHT
Friday is the regular supper night of the Lady Warren Rebekah Lodge. The meeting will convene at 8 o'clock.

FLIER IS LATE
With the flier from the east three hours late at Harrisburg this morning, a special was put on to accommodate those traveling to Warren, Oil City and intervening points.

PLAN INSTALLATION
Kiwanis Club members meeting at the Hotel Carver for their weekly luncheon-meeting Wednesday will have as a guest Charles Turan, of Meadville, Lieutenant governor of District One.

TO RECAP TIRES
A Pittsburgh firm is moving into one of the buildings owned by Donald Smith on lower Market street. The firm will recap tires and will doubtless enjoy a large business in this city.

TOWNSEND GRANGE
Townsend Club No. 2 announces meetings in the future will be held every second Wednesday instead of the first Thursday of each month, the next regular session to be at 8 p. m. January 12. All members are urged to be present at that time for the annual election and installation of officers and other important business transactions.

LEFT FOR ARMY
Another group of Warren county young men left yesterday for an induction center over the Pennsylvania railroad. The group was photographed at the railroad station before departing and was also given cigarettes, Testaments and other remembrances. They will be processed at the center and will then be assigned to various camps for training.

CITY IS QUIET
Since the New Year's advent the city has been quiet in every way. The police have had little to do in quelling any exhuberance on the part of anyone and outside of the rubbing of fenders on a few cars little has occurred to give the cops anything to do except routine duties. This condition is pleasing to the police and to the citizens generally.

MINISTERS MEET

The single item of business of Warren County Ministerial Association at the Monday meeting was choice of President J. C. Wygant to represent the group in formation of the proposed council of social agencies, with the Rev. Wayne Fuman as alternate. The entire program period was devoted to a song and prayer service led by Rev. O. C. Mingleford, with Scripture and a short talk on the work of the minister. Rev. L. W. Drury assisted at the piano.

MUST REGISTER SOON

All automobile dealers must submit to the Office of Price Administration prior to January 11 a complete inventory of all cars on hand as of midnight December 31. This inventory must include all cars, new or old. All dealers have been supplied with Form No. 578 and any dealer who failed to obtain this form must notify the OPA. Failure to receive the forms is no excuse and any dealer who fails to comply may be prevented from continuing in business, it is pointed out.

NEGOTIATIONS UNDER WAY

City Solicitor Sidney Blackman reports that negotiations are under way for the site for the sewage disposal plant on the Newbold-Biddle property. The city has never been able to get a price set on the land needed for the construction of the plant. It is expected however that a price will soon be named. The plant will be a matter of post-war building as the cost will be heavy. Money is being arranged for by the Council so that construction can be undertaken as soon as material is available.

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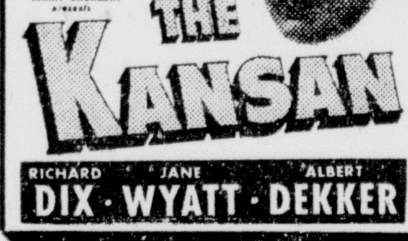
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Relatives To View Twelfth Night Fiesta

Mothers, fathers and friends of Girl Scouts are invited to occupy the balcony of the gymnasium at the Y. W. C. A. Thursday evening from seven to nine o'clock to view the Twelfth Night celebration.

The King and Queen of Twelfth Night, together with the twelve members of the court, will be chosen in the time-honored manner. A huge cake which has trinkets baked in it will be served to Girl Scouts who attend the party. Each trinket has a special meaning in her cake will remove its wrappings eagerly to see whether she will be King, Queen or a member of the court.

The four smallest Girl Scouts in uniform will be the train and crown bearers for the royal procession.

The celebration of Twelfth Night as the end of the Christmas season is a custom in many lands. In some countries, it is the day upon which gifts are made to children in token of the gifts that the Magi brought to the Christ Child on the twelfth day after Christmas.

ADMINISTRATION NOTICE

Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Earl R. Small late of the Borough of Warren, Warren County, Pa., deceased, having been this day granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to said Estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will present them to the undersigned, properly authenticated for settlement.

MARION A. SMALL, Executor.
1403 Monterey St., N. S. Pittsburgh, 32, Pa.

October 25, 1943
STONE and FLICK, Attorneys.
Jan. 4-11-18-25, Feb. 1-8-67

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STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING The 80th Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of The First National Bank of Warren, Pennsylvania will be held at their banking house, Tuesday, January 11th, 1944, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting. Polls open from 2 to 3 o'clock p. m.

N. D. PATTERSON, Cashier. Dec. 10-14-21-28, Jan. 4-5t

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NOTICE In the Orphans' Court of Warren County, Pennsylvania

In the Matter of the Estate of Perry Joseph Mandaville, a Presumed Decedent.

To his heirs and all persons interested in his estate:

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a petition has been presented to said Court to decree the legal presumption of death of Perry Joseph Mandaville, late of Garland, Township of Pittsford, County of Warren, and State of Pennsylvania, and said Court will hear evidence concerning the alleged absence of Perry Joseph Mandaville, and the circumstances and duration thereof, on February 29, 1944 at 10:00 A. M., or as soon thereafter as can be heard, at the Court House, Warren, Pennsylvania. All persons having any knowledge of the said Perry Joseph Mandaville are requested to attend said hearing or communicate at once with the attorney for the petitioner.

Joseph H. Goldstein, Attorney for petitioner, 409 Warren National Bank Building, Warren, Pennsylvania. December 28, 1943. Dec. 28-Jan. 4-11-18-4t

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DEATH of a Saloteur

Chapter 18

In the grand house, on 67th Street, another little comedy had to be played through before the Count got down to business.

"The neat is very trying," drawled the Count. "New York is so humid! They tell me the town of Riverdale stands high and cool. Do you suppose it would be possible to obtain a suitable furnished house there?"

"I don't know Riverdale," said Lee. "But I shall be happy to inquire."

"I should be infinitely obliged to you."

After the secretary had tiptoed out of the room, closing the door behind him, the Count's manner changed. His little pale eyes glittered. "What have you got to report?" he demanded.

"Not much as yet, Count. I have organized a search that's all."

"I expected quick results from a man of your reputation," said the Count coolly.

To convince him he was doing all a man could do to earn his million dollars Lee launched into a detailed account of activities which had not got anywhere in particular. The Count was not satisfied.

"Any ordinary detective could do as much," he grumbled. Lee took a deep breath. "You said you had some information for me," he suggested.

"I have from Russian sources I can learn nothing about Goroshov except a hint that he is living somewhere in Brooklyn. Of Tassila I have learned he has a set of papers in his possession, identifying him as William Brown, a machinist. It appears he actually has had such experience. He is therefore likely to seek employment in some large factory as a means of cover."

"As for Schapiro, his San Francisco friends have been led to believe that his wife is in Russia; that is not so. She is living under the name of Mrs. Crispin in the village of Sebastopol in Sonoma County north of San Francisco. I assume that he visits her."

"Have you a description of this woman?" asked Lee eagerly.

"I have seen her," said the Count. "She was a beautiful girl. She

must be forty-five now; dark hair, dark eyes, a quiet manner."

"If he visits her again we'll have him," cried Lee, in seeming glee.

"Shouldn't we fly out to San Francisco?" suggested the Count.

"Wait until we get a line on which way he's going to jump. He may tell the woman to join him elsewhere. If he does, she will lead us to him."

Upon reaching home, Lee got a letter from the wire. "Here's your woman," he blurted. "He's visited Schapiro's office. She's his wife. She lives very quietly in the village of Sebastopol in Sonoma County. It's known there as Mrs. Crispin."

"Linder is to call me up at noon," said Welby. "I'll tell him."

Lee soon learned a good deal about Count Deduchin's antecedents. He was said to come of an ancient family of a province in Central Russia. Unlike most of the emigrés, he had succeeded in bringing a great part of his fortune to America. About fifteen years ago he had purchased a handsome estate near Ardmore, Pennsylvania, and he had been living there ever since.

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Advice on Getting Farm Machinery

Warren County farmers who wish to purchase new farm machinery which is under county quota for spring or summer use, are asked to file their applications with the County Farm Machinery Committee this week so that their requests may be reviewed with those of others which are already in the Committee's hands. Machines under quota with the number allotted to this county are as follows: corn planters 8; potato planters 4; grain drills 9; manure spreaders 15; combines 4; corn binders 4; potato diggers 1; mowers 25; side delivery rakes 11; hay loaders 9; pickup balers 2; ensilage cutters 3; tractors 28.

Feed grinders, garden tractors, milking machines, milk coolers, water systems, farm scales and some other kinds of farm equipment are still rationed but not under county quota. All plows, disc and tooth harrows, cultivators, and grain binders are no longer rationed.

Application blanks may be secured from farm machinery dealers or from the office of the committee located at 225 Penna. Ave. W., Warren, Pa.

TIMES TOPICS

ELKS TO MEET

Warren Lodge No. 223, B. P. O. Elks, will meet this evening for the first session of the new year. There will be the usual routine business to be followed by a social time and refreshments.

BENEFIT GAMES

The VFW Auxiliary calls attention to the fact that its benefit series of games on Wednesday evening will be played in the post rooms from 7:30 to 10:30. The public is invited, as usual.

PARISH MEETING

The annual meeting of Trinity Memorial church will be held in the parish house at 8 p. m. next Monday, January 10, called for the purpose of electing 11 vestrymen, parish treasurer and secretary and for the annual report of the rector and parish officers.

HAS FINE POST

It will interest friends to learn that Mrs. Walter Schellhammer and Miss Adelaide Schellhammer are moving January 15 from Richmond, Va., to Aberdeen, Wash., where the latter will be case work supervisor of the children's division of the Grays Harbor Company Welfare Department. Aberdeen is located on the Pacific about 100 miles from Seattle.

MARCONI SOCIETY ELECTIONS

At a meeting of the Marconi Society held last week end officers for the coming year were elected as follows: President, Dan Fillis; Vice President, Pete Molinar; Corresponding secretary, Angelo Lucia; Financial secretary, Frank Williams; Treasurer, Thomas Meneo; First trustee, Ross Bevevino; Sergeants at Arms, Louis Rizzo and Sam Rich; Inside guard, Peter Lucia; Visiting committee, Pete Massa and Natale Scalise.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that Catherine F. Munson, Administratrix of the Estate of Anne G. Falconer, late of Warren Borough, Warren County, Pennsylvania, will present her petition for discharge as such Administratrix, to the Orphans' Court of Warren County on January 26, 1944, at 10 o'clock, A. M., and all persons interested may appear and then be heard.

Catherine F. Munson,
Administratrix.
Jan. 4-11-18-31.

The American P-47 Thunderbolt fighter plane is the ruler of the rarefied atmosphere above 25,000 feet in the fighter class.

Sounds of a plane in flight have caused many to crane necks skyward during the past few weeks and the twinkle of plane lights caused them to wonder who was doing the night flying. Misses Adeline Russo and Shirley Thompson have been receiving instruction in night take offs, pattern flying and landing practice. The two girls who received their flight and ground training at the local airport are now awaiting call to service with the WAFS.

Word has also been received that Barbara Burwell, of Oil City, a graduate of the King Air Service primary flight course has been called and left Friday for Sweetwater, Fla., for advance flight training in the Woman's Auxiliary Ferry Corps. Miss Burwell is a proficient and capable pilot and it is felt that she will be of especial value in this type of service.

Word has also been received that Phil Hanna, former student and graduate of the King School in Flight Instruction is now flying as an Army Primary Instructor at Lakeland, Fla., at the same school where Aubrey Kundegard, also a former air port student has been an instructor for the past year.

Delos P. Clark, of Titusville finished his Instructor Course, December 1st, and has been employed as a flight instructor by the Carroll School Aeronautics at Latrobe, Pa., on the War Training Service program.

Lt. Richard E. Greenformer, basis flight instructor in the Army, who has been home for a couple of weeks has the pleasant experience of teaching his son, Richard, Jr., 16, years of age, to fly and solo. He made his solo flight December 30 at the local port.

Jack Katon has been flying some cross country this past week in preparation for a commercial flight test having made a trip from Warren to Butler and return.

Slip King flew to Butler during the past week with Dr. J. M. Bailey, as a passenger.

A new ground school class will start Monday night, January 3 in the class room at the Warren Airport with Marshall Mathis as instructor. Any person interested in the subjects of civil air regulations, navigation, meteorology and general service of air craft are welcome to attend at no cost.

Pre - Inductees Are Invited To Witness Film

According to an announcement by Harold Bush, life saving instructor for the local Red Cross, an extra film will be shown Wednesday evening in conjunction with the two already previously announced.

This film has been secured from the United States Coast Guard and is entitled "Swimming Through Burning Oil and Swimming Through Surf". For those who are soon to be inducted into the armed service this should be beneficial and informative. Any one in the above category is cordially invited to attend.

The film is being shown at the local Y. M. C. A. and is scheduled for 8:00 p. m.

Obituary

FREDERICK W. KNUPP (Written for Times-Mirror)

Frederick W. Knupp died at his home in Duhring near Marienville, at 11 p. m. Wednesday, December 22, death being attributed to heart trouble. He was born at Yankee Bush April 3, 1867, the son of Adam and Mary Smith Knupp. He followed the oil business practically all his life, working in fields in Ohio, Pennsylvania, Washington and in Alaska.

On December 9, 1909, he married Jennie Emminger, of Tylersburg, who survives with the following brother and sisters: Kate Knupp, Augusta, Kans.; Mrs. Belle Pew, Brea, Calif.; Mrs. Harriet Fenton, Pasadena, Calif.; and Mrs. Matilda Miller, Weldbank.

Services were conducted from the McDonald Funeral Home in Marienville by Rev. Victor Korb, pastor of the Marienville Methodist church, and followed by interment in the Marienville cemetery. Favorite songs of the deceased, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," "God Will Take Care of You" and "Abide With Me," were sung during the rites. Those acting as bearers were S. W. Fitzgerald and his sons, Merle, Karl, Dale and Wayne Dale and S. G. Knight.

Those attending from away were Dr. and Mrs. H. J. McGhee, Kane; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, Bradford; Mr. and Mrs. John Emminger, Titusville; Mr. and Mrs. Merle Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fitzgerald and family, Cyclone; Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fitzgerald, Marienville RD.; Wayne Fitzgerald, Warren; Mrs. William Bell and son, Delbert, Watson Farm; Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Knight, of Rew.

ZELLA B. PETERSON
(Written for Times-Mirror)
Funeral services for Mrs. Zella Baugher Peterson, wife of C. Oscar Peterson, of Triumph, were held at the Swedish Union church at that place at 2 p. m. Wednesday, with Rev. I. Hunsberger, of the Pleasantville United Brethren church, officiating. Two hymns, "Good Night and Good Morning" and "Face to Face," were sung by Mrs. Lave Peterson, Mrs. A. C. Daecousen and Walter Peterson. The floral tributes were many and beautiful. Burial was made in the family lot in the cemetery by the



A new year... a new world

To this small person, the world has been a house and a yard. Now with the new year, he's adventuring into a wider world just beyond the gate.

In the dictator nations, most gates are barred . . . children are regimented . . . their lives are plotted with ruthless disregard of individual talents and ambitions.

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Armed America is fighting to keep war from coming to our shores . . . to write an enduring peace . . . to preserve freedom and opportunity for all Americans.

American industries are fighting in the same battle. One of these industries—electric light and power—has increased its output 73% since 1939. Another—the petroleum industry—is shipping its essential products overseas in more than 80 times the volume of the first World War. Production of 100 octane gasoline—just one of the many varieties of fighting petroleum—is nearly 800% greater than in 1941.

The wartime achievements of all U. S. industry were made possible by the facilities, efficiencies and enterprise developed under the American way of doing business.

Its continuation guarantees even better service to you tomorrow. It assures that growth and achievement are ahead for your boy—the right to find his own occupation and to advance in it to the limit of his abilities.

Under such a competitive system, there will always be a new world for your boy.

THE ATLANTIC REFINING COMPANY

Youngsville Firemen Held Good Meeting

Youngsville, Jan. 3.—The following are the new officers of the Youngsville Volunteer Firemen Company for 1944: President, Robert Spencer; vice president, Lyle Johnson; secretary, Gurney Ball; assistant secretary, Oscar Johnson; treasurer, Charles Spencer; fire chief, L. L. Johnson; assistant fire chiefs, Merle Welch and Merle See. Officers for the fire trucks: Captains, Leland Sittler, Wyllis Johnson; lieutenants, L. O. Mourer, R. E. Abraham; engineers, Harold Cuyler, Archie Littlefield; assistant engineers, H. R. McAllister, Oscar Johnson; trustee for three years, Lyle Johnson. The firemen are now fixing up a social room in the new addition of the borough building. This large room will be over the office of the borough. They are laying a hardwood floor, putting in lights, etc.

operation was found necessary at once.

There will be a meeting in the church of the Methodist official board Tuesday evening, January 4th, at 7:45. Wednesday evening, prayer meeting in the church at 7:30; choir practice 7:45; Woman's Society of Christian Service meets in afternoon in the church parlors; installation of officers. The evening group W. S. C. S. will meet Thursday evening with Mrs. Belle Kay.

RECEIVED BURN

David Clark, who is now 1st engineer on a bomber B-24 plane, received severe burns when an explosion occurred while cranking a plane at Casper, Wyo. He is now reported as getting along well in the hospital.

RECEIVED WORD OF DEATH

Mrs. Orian Ganoe has received a cable from Sweden telling of the death of her mother, who died the 23rd of December at Umea, Sweden.

P. T. A. News

WASHINGTON UNIT

The Washington PTA will hold its monthly executive meeting and study group session at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Huckabone, Tiona, at 8 p. m. Wednesday.

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Sgt. Campbell Gets Medal In U. S. Service

church with the following as bearers: Ernest Johnson, Harry Johnson, Paul Morrison, Robert Anderson, Floyd Swanson and Lave Peterson.

A prayer service was held at the Powers Funeral Home in Jamestown the preceding evening, with the Rev. Lee D. Smith, of the First Methodist church, officiating. The funeral home was filled with relatives and friends.

Present from away to attend the rites at Triumph were Mrs. W. D. Johnson and Mrs. Alvin DeVay, of Palmyra, N. Y.; Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hammer and Mrs. William Anderson, Jamestown; Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Peterson, Charles Peterson, Mrs. T. Williamson and Frank Peterson, Oil City; Mr. and Mrs. James Peterson, Youngsville; Harry Hunter, North Warren; Mr. and Mrs. James Meabon and Robert Meabon, Grand Valley; Dewey Meabon, Plumer.

WILLIAM DAVID SMITH
The body of William David Smith, who died Sunday at Stoneham, was taken to Oil City Monday afternoon for funeral services at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Onseider Funeral Home and interment in the Oil City cemetery.

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long ago was pounding at the gates of Alexandria.

Since leaving the States, S/Sgt. Campbell has seen many a spot whose names will plague future generations of history students, Cairo and Suez, Mersa Matruh and Halfaya Pass, Tripoli and the March line, Wadi Akarat and Kairoan, Tunis and Bizerte and a dozen other desert battlefields that witnessed the longest retreat of the war.

He has worked in the blazing heat of the Libyan Desert, the soggy mud of Tunisia and the pleasant green fields of southern Italy. He fought side by side with the British, the French, the South Africans, the Gurkhas and the New Zealanders and dived into slit trenches with men from every state in the Union. Through it all, according to the dispatch, "no matter what the conditions or the danger, he has worked hard and faithfully and it is this devotion to duty during the long and arduous push that earned him his decoration."

BIRTHS

Visiting Hours:
2:30 to 3:30-7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

At Maternity
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Geigher, Sugar Grove, are the parents of a son born Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Robbins, 701 Fourth avenue, are parents of a daughter born Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Shattuck, 212 Madison avenue, have a baby

son born early this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Swanson, 108 North Carver street, have a daughter born early this morning.

Mrs. Melville Dias, Warren Rd. 3, mother of a son born at the Warren General hospital New Year's day, is the former Vera Fitzgerald, and not Jean Fitzgerald, as was incorrectly stated Monday.

AT THE HOSPITAL

Visiting Hours:
2:00 to 3:00-7:00 to 8:00 p. m.

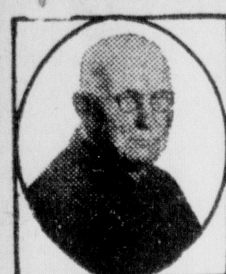
Admitted Monday
Mrs. Florence Pollock, Irvine.
Mrs. Burkhardt, Clarendon
Scott Smith, Kellettville
Mrs. Ruth Gerardi, 28 Walnut street.
Jan Zuercher, 24 1/2 South South street.

Discharged Monday
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Mrs. Marcellus Wellacher, Clarendon
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UNMERRY CHRISTMAS

Among those whose 1943 Christmas was far from merry and bright, number the dealers in Christmas trees, who from coast to coast including a number in and around Warren, who are reported to have taken what is known vulgarly as a whale of a shellacking. That is to say, most of them lost their shirts and many of their trousers.

S. Burton Heath, in an editorial written for NEA Service and The Times-Mirror comments on the situation as follows:

In the afterglow of good will to men, we should like to feel sorry for those luckless entrepreneurs. Yet somehow we can't seem to squeeze out any tears. Perhaps that is because we are so sorry for the poor suckers who paid grossly exorbitant prices for trees when they first came around, and for those other householders who, because of scandalous prices, decided to go without a tree.

The Christmas tree industry in 1943 was the victim of its own cupidity. This is not meant to point the finger at every individual connected with the trade. But the industry as a whole tried to pull a fast one, and got caught, and is entitled to no sympathy at all.

The idea was that there would be a shortage, and everybody would be eager to get a tree, and here was a chance to clean up at the expense of the good old Christmas spirit. Prices were jacked up into the stratosphere.

Many paid the price, reported in some instances to have reached the supercolossal height of \$1 a foot. Most, with encouraging intelligence and courage, said "To heck with those robbers. We'll get by this year without a tree."

The comedown, for the industry, was sickening. "Business," said one dealer, "was so lousy people wouldn't even steal 'em."

We're not exactly gloating—not, that is, primarily. All right, then, we ARE gloating. But what we had in mind was to point a moral.

There are a disturbing lot of commercial and service establishments which are taking advantage of this seller's market to get awfully cocky, independent and even sometimes insulting to would-be customers who are important enough to try to buy things.

The Christmas tree dealers could give these short-sighted sellers a valuable tip. There never was a seller's market that didn't change, some day, into a buyer's market. And the buyer, when it comes his turn, can be very, very tough.

GRIM DAYS AHEAD

There is a story in the Wall Street Journal, which at year's end, makes you stop and think. Grim days of heavy sacrifice are ahead for the men who fight; for the civilian population at home, the peak has been reached. As the Washington writer reminds us:

"This paradox may split the national psychology strangely in 1944.

"We have been granted public intimation by England's Churchill, South Africa's Smuts, Russia's Stalin, and our own military leaders, that a costly invasion assault will be made upon Europe, beginning early in the coming year, with American soldiers bearing the principal burden. It is taken entirely for granted here that our military front will perform without serious flaw.

"The home front, as appraised from the capital, is now suffering from a mild but debilitating epidemic of war weariness. Not the type that spreads among the survivors of Berlin, but the peculiar war weariness of the expectant victor. It is the prevalent officials view that civilians are unfrightened, uninspired and lacking in self-discipline.

"This much is certain: War presents no further dramatic challenge to the civil population. The material of the invasion has already been manufactured, or it will be made mostly by workers plugging along at tasks now established.

"With war production 'accomplished,' extensive civilian supply programs are now being prepared. Their performance is likely to be a trend rather than a deluge unless Germany's capitulation comes early, but even without any Armistice it is calculated that many non-war wares will be put in production during the first quarter of the year."

It has been a foregone conclusion for some time that those "anonymous authors" down around the capital "who declined to be identified" would find themselves in difficulty sooner or later.

One of the most harmonious reorganization meetings the borough council ever has experienced took place last evening with no changes in the official family.

"Well, All Right, But Remember—No Shoving!"



Nazi - Controlled "Socialist" Government in Italy Is Bid For Red Favor, Taylor Finds

By HENRY J. TAYLOR

NEA Correspondent

Naples (By Wireless—Delayed) —No matter what has happened to Fascism in Italy, it is a grave mistake to regard Mussolini as a washed-up, ineffectual symbol of political power. This fact becomes strikingly clear in conversations here with Italian military, governmental and royal sources.

Mussolini—and especially his henchmen such as Count Ciano and various petty gratters—are considered good riddance in southern Italy, which always was his weak spot anyway. But the new so-called "Government of the Republic of Socialist Italy," which has been set up in the north, and for which Mussolini is the front man under German direction, flares up to puzzle, frighten and intrigue every important Italian you meet here.

Leading Italians are convinced that this northern movement, directed by Germans at its Vichy-like capital at Brescia, is designed as a profoundly important German stalking horse in world politics. And they read Mussolini's current manifestos which the Germans clearly are writing for him, as appeals for Russia's favor.

Natives here already speak of the home-made Italian Soviet in North Italy. And because Communism is not distasteful to them, we are made to appear to be fighting against it. Consequently they are a good deal less inclined than might be expected to help us clean out the northern part of the country.

Only today Neapolitans had news over the radio from Mussolini's capital at Brescia that the Republic of Socialist Italy is turning over factories to the workers—giving the names of factories, their values, and the numbers of em-

ployees. The canny German idea in sponsoring this is two-fold: On one hand, it attempts to make us look more like enemies in fighting against the government in the north, which gives such bounties to the Italian people. On the other hand it provides a carefully designed showcase for Russian eyes as a political and ideological bridge in Germany's constant hope for some affinity with Stalin.

In the minds of several eminent United Nations Europeans, this whole pivot, on which German thought is turning, and which now is in the laboratory stage in Northern Italy, is the biggest, most far-reaching news in Europe today. Certainly the Germans are far from the end in waging political warfare. In fact, standing here on the continent, it looks as though they are only at the beginning of a dangerous campaign of new political skullduggery.

As for the economic situation in Italy itself—here again, as throughout Europe, the final issue is not present or prospective shortages on a straight quantitative basis. Italians can produce, but they cannot buy. The currency breakdown is now and will remain the real bottleneck rather than simple undersupply.

The inflation whirlwind here, with its present accompanying black markets—as in Spain, France, the Low Countries, the Balkans and in Germany itself—is the real No. 1 problem which we face in giving any real aid to Italy and to Europe. You find here that unless the polygot, shimplaster currencies of Europe are tackled first, so that self-help can get under way, any such superimposed operations as emergency feeding or political revivals still will leave this and the other countries unable to function and com-

pletely unable to use any new freedom to preserve freedom. The German-sponsored communism in the north, and the collapse of the lira, are clearly the two most far-reaching and troublesome factors in Italy today.

BIRTHDAYS

TOMORROW'S BIRTHDAYS

Julia Arvilla Spencer
Mrs. Mary Riche
Kenneth L. Ellis
Erwin Nicholson
Rachel Blomquist
Mrs. Dorothy Kane
Charles Calvin Keim
Mrs. Lorena See
Twila Atwell
Marie R. Luchs
D. W. Crouch
Mrs. Sara A. Allen, 1810
Robert Jensen
George W. Nelson
Nannie Hamilton
George Joseph Gern
Mrs. Burt Kinney
Hjalmer Forsgren

A SAVING nation does not invite inflation. Buy More War Bonds to assure a prosperous peace.

YEARS AGO IN WARREN

Interesting Items Taken From The Warren Evening Times

In 1924

Chief of Police Martin Wholeben warns drivers of automobiles not to allow children to hitch their sleds on the rear of the cars. This is a dangerous practice and may lead to deaths, says the Chief.

Fredonia High Schools basketball team will be here Monday evening for a game with the Dragons. This will be the second game of the season. There promises to be a big crowd out at the contest.

Following the announcement yesterday that George Seavy will be commissioners clerk and D. M. Howard, deputy sheriff other announcements today said that M. Brady will continue in charge of the Rouse Hospital and H. H. Bassett will be Sealer of Weights and Measures.

The Lions Club is making a most commendable move in supplying a loan closet of wheel chairs, crutches, etc., which may be borrowed by Warren people who are in need of such things. The work is being done in connection with the Visiting Nursing Association.

More than 500 children attended the Christmas party given last evening by the Warren Aerie Fraternal Order of Eagles. Mrs. Edward M. Lindsey was in attendance and thanked the Eagles for their kindness in entertaining the children. Old Santa was present and a general good time was held.

In 1934

Loblaws Market today is advertising: Pork roast, loing rib and 7 cents the pound; beef short ribs 5 cents the pound; leg of spring lamb 19 cents.

Nine additional projects, mainly on country roads have been approved in the county. This will make a total of 88 projects which will be under way in a short time over the county and will afford work to many men.

An unusual accident took place last night when an automobile driven by William McCall, Jr., of Buffalo ran head on into a horse drawn hobsled. The car was passing another and did not see the team and sled. The pole of the sled ran into the auto as the horses leaped apart and the car was damaged badly. One of the horses was slightly cut.

Announcement is made that the Warren county Scout Council has won the presidents award. The Council has attained all of its objectives for the year past and is to be honored for its fine work.

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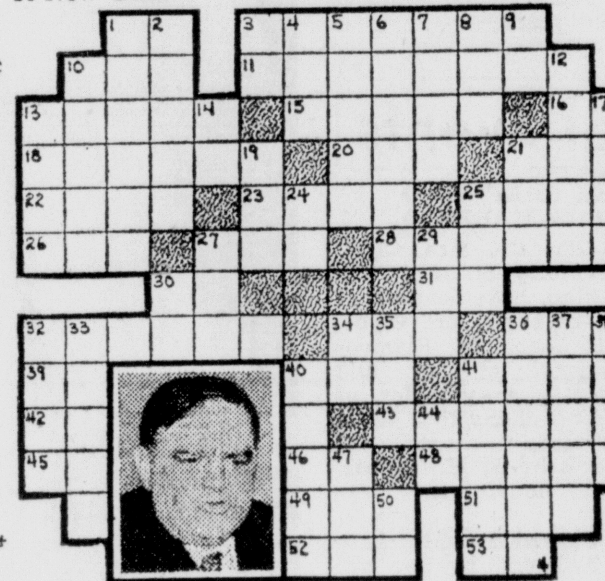
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T.H.O.U.G.H.T-S

Give, and it shall be given unto you.—Luke 6:38.

In giving, a man receives more than he gives, and the more is in proportion to the worth of the thing given.—MacDonald.



goes the demand for Natural Gas

Now's your chance
to conserve Gas
for war industries
and help end the war!

Cold waves send the domestic demand for Natural Gas up to nearly double. To carry this extra load and still keep war plants operating calls for sacrifice here at home. But it's small sacrifice compared to what our boys are going through.

This winter please do your best to conserve your use of Gas. Check the column at the right and see how you can help. The Gas saved by you and your neighbors may easily be enough to fashion an extra gun or an important part for a tank or plane. In a real sense, we have it in our power to bring our loved ones home sooner, or to keep them at war extra weeks or months. You know your answer to that!

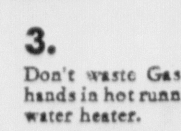
There need be no shortage of Gas anywhere . . . if we all use Gas wisely! Will you help?

What you can do
in your own home
to save on Gas!

1. Discontinue the use of your kitchen range for heating.



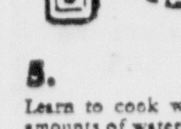
2. Winter-condition your home through insulation, storm sash, weatherstripping and caulking. Check your heating plant, replace or clean filters, for top efficiency.



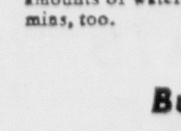
3. Don't waste Gas by washing dishes or hands in hot running water. Insulate your water heater.



4. Avoid excessive room temperatures by proper setting of the thermostat. Close off rooms you do not use; close bedroom doors at night if windows are open; see that fireplace dampers are closed.



5. Learn to cook with low flame in small amounts of water to save Gas—save Vitamins, too.



Buy more and more War Bonds

Our Government asks us to conserve fuel, manpower, transportation, critical materials.

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Rites in West Middlesex Unite Betty Mason And Army Staff Sergeant Walter Hofmeister

Friends here have received announcement from Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Mason, West Middlesex, of the marriage of their daughter, Betty, former school music teacher here and organist of First Presbyterian church, to Walter Hofmeister, graduate of West Middlesex High School and now an army staff sergeant located at Greenville, Miss.

The ceremony took place in the West Middlesex church at 4:30 p. m. December 18, Rev. Stewart Harty assisted by Rev. W. J. Holmes. Wedding music was by Mrs. Vern Logerquists and Margaret Byrd Shaw. The bride was given in marriage by her father and attended by Mrs. John McKee, of McKeesport.

The bride wore ivory satin with headgear of Chantilly lace and carried white chrysanthemums. Her only jewelry was an heirloom piece belonging to her aunt, Mrs. McKee wore a street length dress of aqua silk jersey with matching tiana and carried yellow mums. The bride's mother wore navy accessories with a grey print and Mrs. Hofmeister wore a rust and brown ensemble.

Jesse Hofmeister, of Butler, was best man and ushers were Carl and John Hoffman, John and Clifford Godfrey, of West Middlesex.

A reception for 200 guests followed at five o'clock in the church parlors, with Meredith Young, of Warren, playing incidental music as background. Guests were from Butler, McKeesport, New Castle, Pittsburgh, Warren, Youngstown, D., and Jamestown, N. Y.

After a wedding trip to New York, S/Sgt. Hofmeister returned to his army duties and the bride resumed her teaching in Sharon High School. Mrs. Hofmeister is a graduate of Westminster College and taught public school music here for three years.



—Courtesy Sharon Herald

Social Events

FORMER SHEFFIELD YOUTH IS MARRIED

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Elder, formerly of Sheffield, but now of Silgo, have learned of the marriage of their son, Clyde, Jr., and Miss Joan E. Riemenschneider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Riemenschneider, of Franklin. The ceremony took place in Grace Lutheran church in Franklin, the Rev. S. H. Gross, performing the double ring service.

The bride, attired in white gabardine, was attended by her sister, Mrs. Robert Spencer, who wore blue silk. Each had a shoulder spray of red roses. Thomas Jennings, of Titusville, was Mr. Elder's best man.

Mr. Elder is an employee of the United States Bureau of Mines and his bride is employed by the Arms-Franklin Corporation. They will reside in the Miller Park apartments in Franklin.

LOTTA DUNHAM AUXILIARY MEETING

Lotta Dunham Auxiliary members of First Presbyterian church were entertained Monday evening at the home of Mrs. James S. Richards, Brook street, with very beautiful holiday decorations providing a charming setting for the program.

Mrs. Everett Eddy was in charge of the devotional period and Mrs. H. C. Warren reviewed Dr. and Mrs. Wiser's book "For All of Life". A welcome was extended to several guests, including Miss Louise Swick, Washington, Pa.; Mrs. Edward Lewis, West Elizabeth, N. J., and Dr. Richards' mother, Mrs. Iva Richards, of Hubbard, O. Assisting in the social hour were Mrs. Basil White and Miss Elizabeth Brasington.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE

Youngville, Jan. 3—Miss Marcia Johnson entertained Wednesday evening honoring Mrs. Arthur Rose who on December 15 was wedded at Ayville, Ky. The bride was formerly Miss Audrey Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Rose are now living in Corry.

A delightful evening was spent with games. Prizes going to the bride's mother, Mrs. Alfred Smith, Miss Phyllis Egbert and Miss Bianca Artico.

A delicious two course luncheon was served. Mrs. Rose received many lovely gifts at the shower which was a feature of the evening.

PHILOMEL MEETING

Philomel Club members will hold their monthly business session at the Woman's Club at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday. The next program meeting is January 12, with Mary Hooper in charge of a miscellaneous program.

Betty Lee

SPORT COATS REDUCED
\$12 \$20 \$25 \$30

Values to \$25 Values to 29.98 Values to \$35 Values to \$45

FUR-TRIMMED COATS
\$28 \$38 \$58

Values to 49.98 Values to 79.98 Values to 100.00

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Social Events

NEWS RECEIVED OF ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Warren A. Speer, of Franklin, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ruth, to Donald H. Martin, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, of Wesleyville, formerly of Russell. No wedding date has been set.

Miss Speer was graduated from Wesleyville High School and Mercyhurst College in Erie and is now employed as junior accountant by the Housing Authority of the City of Erie.

Mr. Martin, a graduate of Russell High School and the General Electric Company's apprentice school, is now employed by that firm.

FAREWELL GIVEN

Charles E. Moore, Jr., who left with yesterday's army contingent for New Cumberland reception center, was honored guest at a farewell given Saturday evening by Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Kenneth Head and Dorothy Head at the Head home on the Sugar Grove-Lander road.

The time was pleasantly spent with dancing, the honored guest, providing the music. To conclude, he was presented a purse of money and refreshments were served.

ALTAR SOCIETY HAVING DINNER

The Altar Society of St. Joseph's church is planning for a turkey supper in the Sodality rooms at 6:30 o'clock Friday evening, when all members and all interested in becoming members of this recently organized society are invited to attend. Each woman is asked to bring a turkey, rolls and her own dishes for the dinner, which will be followed by a pleasant social evening.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS for sale

on the classified page today.

Social Events

DEMOCRATIC WOMEN

Members of Warren County Federation of Democratic Women held their monthly business and social session Monday evening with Mrs. John Reiff, Brown Run, the secretary presenting a review of the past year's activities. To conclude, refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be February 7, with later announcement of the time and place.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY RESUMES MEETINGS

Members of the Warren General Hospital Women's Auxiliary will resume regular sessions Friday of this week following a holiday period. The business and work meeting will begin at 1:30 p. m. in the auxiliary room in the maternity building and members are reminded to bring reading matter for the hospital library.

WBA WILL HAVE DINNER-INSTALLATION

Members of Review No. 4, WBA, will have their regular meeting at 8 p. m. Thursday in S. F. of A. hall, with installation of officers in charge of Ruth Putnam, managing deputy from Erie. Dinner will be served at six o'clock, with the new president, Marie Decker, heading the committee in charge. Each one attending is asked to bring her own sugar and butter.

TO SPEAK HERE FOR MISSION STUDY GROUP

The January meeting of the Interdenominational Mission Study Group will be held at 2:30 p. m. Friday in the ladies parlors of First Presbyterian church. Guest speaker will be Mrs. J. Hal Smith, pastor of the Wayne Valley church and former missionary to Sierra Leone, Africa.

ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Emory McComas, 12 Central avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Clare, to Aviation Cadet Willis C. Lundahl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lundahl, 204 Buchanan street. No date has been set for the wedding.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Court Warren, Catholic Daughters of America, will hold its regular meeting at 8 p. m. Wednesday in the K. of C. clubrooms.

P. T. A. News

STARBRICK UNIT

Starbrick PTA members will hold their regular meeting at the school at 8 p. m. Wednesday, with a discussion of the school lunch program and entertainment that will include movies. A large attendance is hoped for.

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Frewsburg Rites Are of Interest To Many Locally

The First Methodist church of Frewsburg, N. Y., was the scene of a beautiful holiday wedding on Sunday afternoon, December 26, when Violet Dorothy Enella Swanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melker Swanson, of Jamestown, became the bride of Pvt. Herbert O. Elmore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Elmore, of Frewsburg.

The ceremony was read at 4 p. m. by Rev. Macklyn E. Lindstrom, of New Wilmington, a former pastor of the church. Mrs. Ruth Lindstrom, at the piano, and Allan Swanson, cornetist, and cousin of the bridegroom, prefaced the service with a quarter-hour recital.

The bride was lovely in white satin with long train and a fingertip veil held with an orange blossom tiara. Her necklace was of pearls and she carried white roses, daisy pompons and sweet peas. Kathryn Smith, of Lancaster, N. Y., cousin of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid. She wore silver alpaca with a long frock of light blue crepe and carried pink daisy pompons.

Harry Swanson, brother of the bride, was best man and ushers were Norman Davis and Frederick Boswell, Jr.

The bride's mother wore black and white sheer crepe and shoulder corsage of gardenias and lavender sweet peas and Mrs. Elmore wore blue crepe and a shoulder corsage of gardenias and pink sweet peas.

A reception for 60 guests followed at the home of Mr. Elmore's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Orley Morrill, of Frewsburg, with Dorothy and Audrey Engblom, Mrs. Leon Moore, Mrs. John Eckert and Mrs. Addie Engblom among the aides.

The bride is a graduate of Russell High School and is employed by Weber-Knapp Company in Jamestown. The bridegroom is a graduate of Frewsburg High School and was employed by Crescent Tool Company of Jamestown prior to his induction into the army June 29, 1942. He received his basic training at Fort Bragg, N. C., was later transferred to Camp Cook, Calif., then to Nashville, Tenn., and Pine Camp, N. Y. At present he is located at Indiantown Gap. His bride will remain with her parents for the present.

RUSSELL

Russell, Jan. 4—On Monday Jan. 3 A. F. Carlson celebrated his 86th birthday anniversary at his home with the following relatives present: Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lundquist, Mr. Randall Clark, Mrs. Eileen Cady of Warren, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Anundson of Sheffield, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Yeagle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lauffenburger of Midland, Texas, have arrived here to attend the funeral service of the latter's mother Mrs. Edith Adams, and their uncle Mr. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blood of Jamestown, Mrs. Edith Chamberlin, Mrs. Elva Bartlett of Steamburg and her daughter, were recent callers of Mrs. Clyde Briggs and Mrs. Lizzie Fox White.

LeRoy Sipple of St. Louis, Mo., has spent the past few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sipple. LeRoy Sipple and his wife and daughter are moving to Pomona, Calif., where Mr. Sipple has employment. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sipple received a cablegram from their son First Lt. Cecil Sipple, who is now located at Eagle Gram Italy.

Miss Ethel Young of Orlando, Fla., has arrived at her home here, while enroute here, she visited friends at Chattanooga, Mt. Vernon, Ohio and Atlanta. Miss Young will leave here for Orlando, Fla., Wednesday. Her mother, Mrs. Lily Young, will accompany her back to Orlando to stay the remainder of the winter.

The Young Married Fellowship Society will meet at the Methodist church Friday evening for a 7 o'clock supper and social time. A very pleasant Christmas party was held at the home of Mrs. D. N. Warner Thursday. Covers were laid for twelve. Gifts were exchanged. Games were played with several winning prizes. Mrs. Gerald Hale will entertain the club at the next meeting. Eleven A. Number One Club members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Packard Warren-Jamestown road, have left for Elmira where Mr. Packard has employment.

Stamps and bond sales in schools for December: Lender High \$232.60; Russell High, \$40.75; Thompson Hill rural, \$21.25. Total \$294.60.

Mrs. Lena Jones spent New Years Day with her sister Mrs. Edd Lesser and family at Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Whitman and family of Frewsburg were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sears.

Miss Marion Beckwith spent New Years night at Buffalo, N. Y. Mr. and Mrs. William Brands have moved into the Packard house on the Warren-Jamestown road.

Holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wood were: Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Brown, Andy Finch of Torpedo, Mr. Merton Brown and son Richard of Titusville, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Swanson and daughter Nancy of Niagara Falls, Mrs. Edith Swan of Denver, Col., Mrs.

Army Orders Are Responsible For Wedding Change

Taken from the December 31st issue of the Kane Republican, the following will be of interest to many relatives and friends.

When army orders cancelled leave of Second Lieutenant Morris Conn O'Neill yesterday afternoon, the day before his scheduled wedding to Miss Martha Cox, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Milo Cox, in the First Methodist church, hastily revised plans resulted in a pretty wedding at the Cox residence at 110 Edgar street, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Most of the members of the immediate families and guests were reached by telephone and were able to be present at the ceremony which had been planned for this afternoon.

The wedding took place in the music room of the Cox residence which was decorated with white roses. Picardy glads and white and yellow mums. The flower decorative appointments were carried out through the home. A large fire place was backed with the flowers and with candles on each side.

Guests were assembled in two large rooms with archways entering the music room. The wedding procession formed on the second floor of the residence and proceeded down the stairway and into the music room. Leading the procession were the bridesmaids, maid of honor and the bride on the arm of her father. The Rev. G. H. Palmer, pastor of the First Methodist church, read the single ring ceremony.

Mrs. James McDade, Jr., at the piano, played the wedding march from Lohengrin as the professional and Mendelssohn's wedding march as the recessional.

The bride wore ivory satin with fingertip veil and Juliet cap of sea-pearl embroidery. Her flowers were a shower bouquet of white roses and miniature white mums. Miss Pauline Jacobs was her maid of honor. She wore white taffeta and carried a bouquet of white roses and pom-poms. Bridesmaids were Miss Winifred Woods and Mrs. Arthur Launstein. Both wore pink taffeta and carried bouquets of white roses and pom-poms. Malcom O'Neill, of Jamestown, N. Y., brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Immediately following the ceremony, an informal reception was held after which the couple left for Camp Campbell, Ky., where the bridegroom was ordered to report for duty this morning. Lt. O'Neill had secured a furlough, his first in many months which had been specially arranged for the wedding. Orders cancelling the furlough were received at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The bride is a graduate of Kane high school, class of 1932. She is a graduate of Goucher college at Baltimore and of post graduate studies at Allegheny college, Meadville and Clarion State Teachers College. She is a member of the Kane High School faculty.

Lt. O'Neill is a native of Warren, the son of Mrs. Irene O'Neill, of that place. He is a graduate of the Warren High School and Mansfield State Teachers College. He studied post graduate music courses at several eastern colleges and prior to entry into the U. S. Army in September, 1942, was music supervisor in the Kane public school system.

A list of town guests at the event were Mrs. Irene O'Neill, Miss Frances O'Neill, Mrs. Burr Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Walker, Mr. and Mrs. David Smith, Mrs. Beyer Africa, Mrs. Everett Davis and Mrs. Bertram Messerly, of Warren, and Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm O'Neill, of Jamestown, N. Y.

The bride was honored at numerous pre-nuptial parties here during the past few weeks.

EVENTS TONIGHT

7:00, CAP Cadets in Room 201, Warren National Bank Bldg.
7:30, Sigma Tau Delta with Janice Peterson, 117 Frank street.
7:30, Week of Prayer services at Congregational and Nazarene churches.
7:30, Epworth WSCS at church.
7:30, Warren Lodge, 339, IOOF.
8:00, Warren Lodge, 223, BPOE.
Eastern Star meeting.

THERE IS no substitute for newspaper advertising.

Ivan Wood of Erie, Cadet Clair Wood of Chicago, Miss Virginia Huckabone of Jamestown, Cadet Clair Wood had a 3 day furlough from De Paul University, Chicago. Private William J. McGuckin Jr. of Camp Ibis, California is home for a short furlough with his parents Mr. and Mrs. William McGuckin. Their daughter Katherine Joan McGuckin, WAVE 2nd class seaman from Arlington, Va., also spent New Years day with her parents Mr. and Mrs. McGuckin.

Burt Duell has been promoted to Platoon Sergeant at the Marine base, Parris Island, S. C.

WILL SONNY SLEEP OR COUGH TONIGHT?

PISO'S Soothes—Loosens Coughs Due to Colds

In 2 definite ways, modern-formula PISO's relieves night coughing caused by colds.

LOCALLY, PISO's soothing ingredients cling to the throat, quickly ease and relax irritated membranes that bring on coughing spells.

INTERNALLY, PISO's stimulates flow of normal throat secretions to loosen tight phlegm. For coughs due to colds, ask your druggist for a bottle of PISO's (pie-so's).

Minstrels To Be Continued By Civic Club

At a meeting of the North Warren Civic Club held last evening at the community house and attended by about 30 members, it was voted to continue the annual mid-winter minstrel show that has proved so popular in preceding seasons.

Russell Dietsch was appointed general chairman of arrangements, the details to be worked out and announced in the very near future.

Plans made for the future also include discussion of the club's annual banquet to be held next month and Gerald Rickerson was appointed general chairman of this committee.

For the evening's program, Charles H. Springer told of the Bell Telephone Company's part in building of the Alaskan highway and outlined some of the civilian problems facing the utility in a world at war.

To conclude the evening, the committee served a light lunch.

HOW ORCHIDS "EAT"

North American orchids depend for food upon a microscopic organism inside their roots which help them take in food from the soil.

ARTESIAN ETMOLOGY

Artesian wells are named after Artesium, the Latin name for the province of Artos, France, where such wells came into use centuries ago.

Miss Vernice Graziano has re-

Personal Paragraphs

Miss Beba Couse arrived home New Year's Day after spending two weeks vacation with her sister, Mrs. Emory Elmquist, of Corry.

Mrs. Will Covert, Mrs. Clifford Betts, Mrs. Lester Wright and Mrs. E. M. Branch are in Randolph, N. Y., today to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. F. Saeger, who died here Saturday.

Miss Rebecca Harris has returned to Western Reserve in Cleveland, after spending her holiday vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Harris, 31 Buchanan street.

Miss Patty Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith, has returned to her studies at Juilliard Institute of Musical Arts in New York City, after enjoying her holiday vacation at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Couse and son, William, of Falconer, N. Y., spent the New Year's holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Willard Couse, 301 Pennsylvania avenue, east.

Miss Mary Brennan has returned to Erie after spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Masterson and family.

Miss Joan and Miss Beverly Brown are home after spending New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, Ridgway.

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New Officers Chosen For Country Club

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the Conewango Valley Country Club, Thomas K. Creal II, perennial golf champion, was named to head the club in 1944.

Gelston Howell was elected vice-president and Helen A. Branch and Leon Laskaris were re-elected secretary and treasurer, respectively. Also re-elected to the board were Horace A. Cray, chairman of the greens committee, and William E. Rice, chairman of the men's golf committee.

Other officers include: Grace Siegfried and Louise Luce co-chairmen of the entertainment committee; Mary Kopf, chairman of the house committee; Grace Fisher, chairman of the women's golf committee and Robert Y. Kopf, director.

FORCED RESTAURANT MEALS

Lycurgus, famous Greek law-giver of the ninth century B. C., made it illegal for men to eat their meals at home. He ruled that all men had to eat out together in public eating houses, to keep them from becoming "effeminate".

turned to Edinboro State Teachers College after spending the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graziano, Pennsylvania avenue, west.

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Georgia Tech Defeats Tulsa



Frank Broyles, Georgia Tech fullback, goes over for first touchdown in second quarter of tenth Sugar Bowl game played in New Orleans, La., where the Navy men came back after a two-touchdown handicap to whip the Tulsa Hurricane, 20 to 18, before a crowd of 69,000. (NEA Telephoto.)

Blomquists Lose to Forge In Close Game in "YM" League

Team Standing			
	W.	L.	Pct.
O'Connors	4	0	1.000
Forge	3	1	.750
Bakers	1	2	.333
Struthers	2	2	.500
Blomquist	0	3	.000

National Forge again stepped into the winning column when they took Blomquist into camp in the "YM" league last evening by the score of 60-54. Although they won it took every bit of reserve they had to do it, as the younger members of the North Warren squad ran circles around the tiring Forgers in the last quarter. Although the Blomquist boys are at the present occupying the bottom of the ladder they give every team they play a real tussle and have only been losing to the others by a few points each game. The high scorer for the evening was Geigerich of the Forge who, during the course of the game collected 20 points. For Blomquists

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Harridge Finds Manpower Is Biggest Problem in Baseball

(This is the first of a series, written expressly for The Associated Press by sports leaders, in which prospects for 1944 are discussed.)

By WILLIAM HARRIDGE
(President of American Baseball League)

Chicago, Jan. 4.—(P)—Baseball's biggest problem, as the game approaches the 1944 season, is one of manpower—and I am confident the sport will meet this problem as successfully as it has met many others which developed in baseball's first two wartime seasons.

About 25 years ago, the game was preparing for another wartime season—that of 1915 during World War I. A check of the rosters at that time discloses that the eight American League clubs then had 250 players under contract—10 fewer than the league now has on its reserve lists for the 1944 season.

We know that scores of players, many of them stars, will join the armed forces between now and opening day next April. But our league owners are confident that, despite these anticipated departures, their clubs will be able to field teams and again do a good job of providing entertainment and relaxation.

The American League now has approximately 190 of its players in the armed forces—and they are part of a legion which is baseball's biggest booster. During the 1942 and 1943 seasons, baseball went to our fighting men all over the world via radio and the American League motion pictures.

Some 600,000 of those servicemen watched our teams in 1943

as guests of our eight American League clubs. The past season saw almost 4,000,000 other fans attend American League games—a total only slightly under a banner 1942 season attendance. The 1943 attendance was backed up by a World Series ticket demand which was the greatest in years and which saw the largest series crowd for a single game—69,990.

That World Series raised more than \$308,000 for war charities, to which can be added other thousands of dollars raised during a regular season war relief program which will be repeated in some manner—next summer.

Narberth, Jan. 4.—(P)—The Steelers-Philadelphia Eagles professional football combination may not take the field next year unless the base of operations for the club is located in Pittsburgh.

Bert Bell, co-owner of the Philadelphia-Steelers, said yesterday the merger of the two teams had not been renewed and "probably won't be unless Pittsburgh becomes the base of operations."

Bell said at his home here that the agreement between the two teams expired December 5 and added that if the manpower is available the Steelers will operate alone.

"If not," he said, "I owe it to the fans of Pittsburgh to see that at least the majority of games are played there next year—that is if

Steelers Will Be Kept in Pittsburgh

we reach an agreement with any other club."

Co-owner of the Steelers is Art Rooney, Alexis Thompson, an army lieutenant, owns the Eagles.

SPORTING WRITERS TO DINE IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—(P)—L.T. Gordon S. (Mickey) Cochrane, former manager of the Detroit Tigers and one-time star catcher for the Athletics now stationed at Great Lakes Naval Training Station, will be a speaker at the 40th annual dinner of the Philadelphia Sporting Writers Association here January 27, it was announced today.

Other speakers will be Connie Mack, 81-year-old manager of the Athletics, and Cy Peterman, Philadelphia Inquirer war correspondent, returned from England and Africa.

HOCKEY LEADERS HAVE HIGH SCORING PLAYERS

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 4.—(P)—If anybody wants to know why Hershey and Cleveland are leading their divisions of the American Hockey League, the circuit's scoring record provides probably the best reason.

Hershey, tops in the Eastern sector, and Cleveland, pace-setters in the western division, each have five players among the 13 leading scorers. And Wally Kilrea, who heads the list with 39 points, and runner-up Gaston Gauthier, with 36, are members of the Hershey club.

Tom Burlington and Lou Trudel of Cleveland provided most fireworks in the scoring department during the past week, however, each tallying seven points.

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



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Future Set-Up Of Baseball Considered

Chicago, Jan. 4.—(P)—Meeting for the first time since being organized in December, the major and minor leagues post-war planning committees, acting in an advisory capacity, will convene in Chicago late this month to consider baseball's future set-up.

Commissioner K. M. Landis has called the meeting at the convenience of committee members but has not yet set a definite date. The committees are expected to discuss plans whereby players who now are in service or who were previously with minor leagues discontinued for the duration, can return to baseball without undue confusion.

Another question is whether players of disbanded minor leagues, taken over by big league clubs in a move to protect to some extent property rights in farm teams, should be granted free agency status—a plan which it has been intimated that Landis approves.

The post-war committees also will discuss with minor leagues the advisability of territorial changes so as to make for more compact circuits.

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Zivic Starts 14 Year With A Knockout

Pittsburgh, Jan. 4.—(P)—After starting his 14th year in the boxing ring last night with a knockout over Ossie (Bulldog) Harris, Pittsburgh negro slugger, in the final stanza of their ten round battle, Fritzie Zivic said "maybe I can go another ten years, the way I feel now."

Although the 4,200 spectators who paid \$11,700 to see the contest, generally agreed the 152-pound former welterweight king had slowed down quite a bit from the time he dethroned Henry Armstrong, there was no doubt of his superiority over Harris, who weighed 155.

Last Night's Bouts

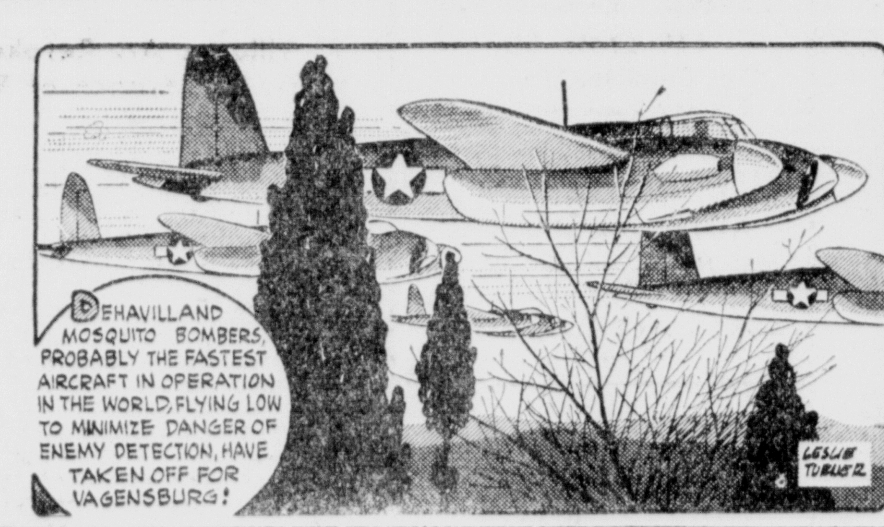
Pittsburgh—Fritzie Zivic, 152, Pittsburgh, knocked out Ossie "Bulldog" Harris, 155, Pittsburgh (10).	
Newark, N. J.—Danny Cox, 190 lb., New York, and Teddy Randolph Reynolds, 171 lb., New York, drew. (8)	
Providence, R. I.—Larry Bolvin, 126 lb., Providence, outpointed Charley "Cabe" Lewis, 123, New York. (10)	
Baltimore—Howard Bennett, 168 lb., Baltimore, outpointed Nick Kirsch, 163 lb., Baltimore. (10)	
Chicago—Jimmy Reeves, 171, Cleveland, outpointed James Fitz-James, 175, Canton, Ohio. (8)	
San Francisco—Jerry Moore, 141, Baltimore, outpointed Jimmy McDaniels, 148, Los Angeles. (10).	

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Schuler	171
X-Ray, won 8, lost 20, Team average 824.	
W. Morse	164
Brink	141
Chase	162
Caldwell	141
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Phillips	151
Stephens	172
Chas	162

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High three games, B. Check 629.
High team game, Gun Shop 979.
High team total, Boring Mills 2689.
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Announcements

10 Strayed, Lost, Found
RATON BOOK NO. 3 lost. Return to Ira Brown, Sr., 417 Water St.
CHRISTMAS package found Fri., Dec. 23, purchased at Wendelboe's. Owner call at 518 Prospect St.
FOUND—Man's grey knitted mitten. Owner call at Times Office and pay for ad.
LEMON AND WHITE English Setter lost in Morrison Run district. Lemon ears and head, ticks on body. Reward for information or return. Call 916-M. 15 Hertz St.
LOST—Between Warren and Sheffield, 12 "C" gas coupons, Dec. 29. License No. K3609. Finder notify Carl J. Larson, Sheffield, Pa.

Automotive

11 Automobiles For Sale
USED CAR BARGAINS—1936 Ford V8 Coach, 1937 Chrysler 6 Coupe, 1935 Dodge 6 Sedan, 1934 Dodge 6 Sedan, C. C. SMITH CO., INC., 6 Water St., Warren, Pa.
BETTER USED CARS—1938 Chrysler Sedan, 1937 Dodge Sedan, 1937 Ford Coach, 1938 Dodge Coupe. We pay cash for good used cars. **HUBBARD MOTOR SALES**, 710 Penna. Ave., East Phone 356
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25 Moving, Trucking, Storage
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Employment

32 Help Wanted—Female
 (Essential workers will not be considered without a "Statement of Availability")
WANTED—Woman or girl to wash, iron, clean by the day. Call 1942 up to 6 p. m.
WOMAN wanted for general housework. Apply at Dr. Webster's office, 114 Penna. Ave., E., between 10:30 A. M. and 12:00 M.
GIRL wanted for light housework, two adults in family. Write Box 50, care Times-Mirror.
WOMAN to care for children. Desired wages to right party. Phone 606 or 560.
WANTED—2 girls at meat counter. Apply at meat dept., Loblaw's.
WANTED—Saleslady to operate established Tea and Coffee Route in Warren and vicinity. Salary, commission and bonus. For personal interview write Box 44, care Times-Mirror, Warren, Pa.
33 Help Wanted—Male
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BOYS wanted for morning paper routes. Phone 1767-J.
AUTOMOBILE mechanics, full or part time, wanted. Call 1650, Pontiac Garage.
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36 Situations Wanted—Female
STENOGRAPHER—Experienced, law, publishing, religious work. Part time. Mornings preferred. Available immediately. Phone 2365.
37 Situations Wanted—Male
HIGH SCHOOL BOY, 18, wants steady work after school. Phone 2421-M.

Live Stock

48 Horses, Cattle, Vehicles
HORSES and pigs. Must be sold on account of sickness of owner. Fred Smith, R. D. 1, Kinzua, Pa.
PIGS—6 wks. old, \$2.50 each; also 1935 Chevy pickup, good tires, price \$250; Model A 1930 coach, looks and runs good, price \$85. Earl Gibson, Rt. 2, Pittsfield, Pa.

Merchandise

51 Articles For Sale
WHITE New Zealand rabbits and pens for sale, reasonably. Call 917-R or 205 Parker St.
59 Household Goods
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WANTED—Boy's or girl's bicycle. Good condition not necessary. Call 3074 or 2616 after 1 p. m.
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ANTIQUES wanted—glass, china, furniture, silver, C. A. Pettibone, 19 Brook St., Phone 594.
WANTED—Wood lot, 1-30 acres. Write Box 25, Times-Mirror, stating location & approximate price.
TRICYCLE, good condition, 12 or 15 inch wheel, wanted. Call 2523-M.
WANTED—Small radio in good condition. Phone 148-R.
WANTED—Oil, Gas—Royalties. Cash, for fractional or whole interest. Write George B. Weaver, Jr., 62 Main St., Bradford, Pa.
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4-ROOM, unfurnished. Bath, 2nd floor. Available Feb. 1. 2 bedrooms. Inquire 113 E. Wayne.
3-ROOM unfurnished apartment, bath, White Block, Penna. Ave., E. Call 1617.
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84 Houses For Sale
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Borough Council Reorganizes For Year
 (From Page One)
 T. M. Greenlund was re-elected as police justice.
 The salary of the Chief of the Fire Department was fixed at \$229.90 and Douglas G. Kropf, was re-elected; Captain Charles Alabaugh was re-elected at a salary of \$175.85; Ed Springer was elected as Lieutenant at a salary of \$169.
 Herman Eckland was again chosen janitor of the City Building at a salary of \$121 per month.
 The salary of the Borough Auditor was named as \$5 per day each. Ed M. Branch was appointed for a five year term inasmuch as no auditor was elected at the last election.
 Bonds of the Warren Water Company, Manufacturers Gas Company and the Pennsylvania Gas Company were fixed in the sum of \$20,000 and approved.
 Dr. E. S. Briggs was elected as a member of the Board of Health for a five year term.
 Bills amounting to \$2178.23 were ordered paid when approved.
 Hose replacements were discussed for the fire department. Much of the hose is 10 years of age and at the Baird Tire Shop fire one section blew out costing valuable time in replacing. Hose in the amount of \$500 will be purchased each year as replacement.
 An approach to the Conewago creek at Second avenue was discussed and some provision will be made whereby fire trucks will be enabled to get to the stream and pump water in event of a fire.
 Borough Engineer Barwis, Street Commissioner Beck and Fire Chief Kropf will prepare the plans. It was drawn to the attention of Council that there is only a four inch water line in that section where much high value property, churches, the new Sylvania plant and other properties are located.
 The old council held the Finance committee in which a balance of \$93,115.13 was shown in the general fund; \$30,750 in the sinking fund and \$6865.56 in the permanent street improvement fund. It was also reported the Council held \$137,000 in short term treasury bonds.
 Bills amounting to \$13,889.14 were ordered paid.
 The street committee reported having assembled one ton of junk and empowered to dispose of it.
 The police report showed Burgess Steber had collected \$10 during the past month for licenses. It was also shown that the parking meters during the past month had collected \$952.88.
 Sixteen fire calls with a loss of \$7,068.67 were answered in December and 157 calls had been answered during the past year with a loss of \$31,228.2 and the value of the property involved was \$1,257,450. Six emergency cases were treated with the life saving equipment of the Fire Department and of the six three were restored to consciousness.

170 Villages Are Retaken In Swift Advance of Reds
 (From Page One)
 spearheads of Vatutin's army were pushing toward the Rumanian border, slightly more than 80 miles to the southwest. They slashed the Kazatin-Zhaskov and Kazatin-Uman railways serving the 500,000 Germans believed to be still in southern Russia, including those now threatened with encirclement in the Dnieper bend.
 Primarily because of lend-lease, U. S. exports for the first nine months of 1943 amounted to \$9,197,000,000, compared with \$5,575,000,000 for the corresponding period a year ago.

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Continuous Day Sessions Are Success

Holding their initial session of the new year and reviewing what school officials feel has been a successful first semester of the continuous school program at high school and Beauty building, members of school board last evening voted approval of the schedule's continuation.
 Approval was also given a plan proposed and voted upon previously by intermediate teachers, namely lengthening of the intermediate school day by ten minutes to allow for time occupied by the milk program, stamp and bond sales, salvage events and other activities.
 Military leave was granted Carl Harrison, Beauty faculty member, who left December 15 for service in the armed forces and the resignation of Vera Neal Morford, physical education teacher at the high school, was accepted, effective this month.
 Boy Scouts were granted use of the high school auditorium at the usual rental fee of \$10 for a program during Boy Scout Week.
 The board received a request from the Warren County Tuberculosis Society for appropriation of \$250 to make possible 100 per cent participation of teachers and school pupils in another "early diagnosis by X-ray" campaign. Through this proposal, every teacher and student would be eligible for chest X-ray at the cost of 50 cents each.
 Bert Campbell, retired as janitor of Home Street school, was reinstated temporarily to fill the vacancy created by resignation of Janitor Lytle.
 The usual bills were presented and reports given. These latter included that of school health officials, showing 184 absences on Monday as compared to 275 and 350 just before the holidays and a normal 135.

DRAFT BOARD IS SEEKING THREE MEN
 (From Page One)
 Warren Draft Board No. 1 has asked the Times-Mirror and its readers to assist in ascertaining the present whereabouts of three young men listed as draft delinquents. Every effort is made to locate such registrants before their names are turned over to the Federal Bureau of Investigation and anyone having information concerning them is asked to call the board, 1652.
 The missing registrants are: John Thomas Page, formerly of 307 McPherson street, Warren, and last heard from in Will's Point, Texas.
 Merle Eugene Haight, registered from Clarendon and later changed to 1427 Market street, San Diego, Calif.
 Daniel Walter Kelly, originally registered from Corydon RD 1, later changed to Perryville, N. Y., and last heard from at 17 Coopers street, Fort Edward, N. Y.

Japs Paying Heavily To Fight Thrusts
 (From Page One)
 rushed work on the smashed Japanese airbase.
 Soldiers of the American 32nd division established a firm grip at Saidor on the northeast coast of New Guinea. The Japanese made their first aerial attack on the beachhead, nearly 38 hours after the unopposed New Year's day landings, killing one man on the ground. Road building proceeded in advance of probable reconstruction of the captured landing field.
 The Japanese also raided U. S. Sixth Army holdings on Arawe, on the southwest coast of New Britain, but the attack was termed ineffective. Outpost clashes occurred on the right flank, with 14 Japanese killed.

WORK FOR DISABLED VETERANS IS PLANNED
 Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—(P)—Approximately 25,000 jobs in 18 "select war industries" will be available to disabled war veterans when the War Manpower Commission's rehabilitation center opens here late this month, WMC Director Frank L. McNamara announced today.
 "Thousands of other jobs will be opened to veterans in other types of work and the new office will make all resources of the WMC available to all men and women in the armed forces and will advise them of any social benefits which might be due them, as well as placing them in jobs," McNamara said.

LAGUARDIA DEMANDS CUT IN EGG PRICES
 New York, Jan. 4.—(P)—New York housewives have been urged by Mayor F. H. La Guardia not to buy any eggs unless priced 10 to 15 cents below OPA ceilings.
 "This is allowing a very generous margin," said the mayor in a public appeal yesterday. "If you can't get them for less, don't buy eggs."
 La Guardia declared an oversupply of eggs justified lower prices.

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Objectives in Calais Area Are Attacked
 (From Page One)
 formations was the second successive night raid on this general area by these planes and was carried out without loss, the air ministry said.
 Fires, meanwhile, were reported still burning in Berlin from the two previous night assaults on the German capital and advisers relayed from neutral Sweden said that traffic within the city remained virtually paralyzed.
 Two fires were raging yesterday in Hitler's Reich Chancellery, and hundreds of persons were believed trapped in shelters beneath the ruined building, these advisers said.
 The main administration building at Berlin's great Tempelhof airbase also was reported damaged heavily by fire and destruction was said to be widespread in factory districts in the southeastern part of the city.
 The air ministry announced that RAF, Dominion and Allied fighters and fighter bombers had been active over northern France yesterday, bombing military objectives and carrying out extensive patrols. Two enemy aircraft were shot down and seven Allied planes were missing in these operations.
 A communiqué said that one of the bombers reported missing from Sunday night's operations landed safely in England, reducing the losses for that night to 27 aircraft missing.

Part of State Gripped By Wintry Wave
 (From Page One)
 The streamlined riverbeds of the Little Conemaugh, Stony Creek and Big Conemaugh, funnelled off the excess water at a high rate here, giving no cause for alarm.
 The question to be decided was whether the high water marks of the Conemaugh and Allegheny rivers from the north would converge with those of the Monongahela and Youghiogheny to the south at Pittsburgh at the same time.
 A tragic accident in which Mrs. Florence Taylor of Erie, was killed three miles east of Bedford last night on the Pennsylvania turnpike, was blamed by the Bedford county coroner's office on the storm.

30 Indicted in Campaign to Incite Murtry
 (From Page One)
 George E. Deatherage, organizer of the Knights of the White Camellia.
 Lois De Lafayette Washburn of Chicago, described as organizer of the National Liberty Party, is the second woman defendant.
 Twenty-two of the defendants were named in an indictment returned a year ago, which Justice Department officials said still stands. The old indictment, however, does not allege an actual conspiracy in behalf of a Nazi rule for the United States.
 Attorney-General Francis Biddle commented the department is continuing its investigation of "certain defendants" not named in the new charges, "as well as others not named in either indictment."

BULLETINS
 (From Page One)
 has been signed by 120 residents of this Conewago village with a pre-war population of 659.

QUAKER CITY BOARDS ACT ON DEFERMENTS
 Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—(P)—No deferment will be granted any youth between 18 and 21 years, inclusive, regardless of the type of work he is engaged in, Philadelphia's three draft appeal boards have ruled.
 The War Department, two weeks ago, announced that the army would no longer seek deferments for men of that age group working on army installations, a board spokesman pointed out.
 "If that's good enough for the army, it's good enough for all industry," the spokesman said.
 Youth already on deferment will not be granted new deferments and all new requests will be rejected.

MORE HARD COAL FOR PHILADELPHIA AREA
 Philadelphia, Jan. 4.—(P)—Solid Fuels Administrator Harold L. Ickes has ordered a four per cent increase in hard coal allotments for the Philadelphia market area to relieve hardship as a result of the coal shortage here.
 The increased allotment was the result of a telegram Mayor Bernard Samuel sent Ickes Friday asking for federal assistance and promising to do "everything within my legal rights" to assure Philadelphia of an adequate supply of fuel.
 Ickes replied disclosed that 100 cars of high volatile bituminous nut coal have also been diverted to Philadelphia to take care of critical needs.

Early Start In Campaign Advocated
 (From Page One)
 been suggesting a late meeting and a shorter campaign. The Republican national committee will fix the date and site for its convention at a meeting in Chicago next week. The Democratic committee will consider the same question here January 22.
 Density of the planet Saturn is only seven-tenths that of water.

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 General Motors 52 1/2
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 Int Nick Can 26 1/2
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PAGEANT TO BE GIVEN AT CHURCH
 As the program feature for its special Union Week of Prayer service to be held at Grace Methodist church at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, the Warren Christian Youth Council has planned a pageant on the theme "The Days to Come".
 This drama will follow the regular opening devotions. To be seen in it are five characters: First figure, Kulas MacDonald; Second figure, James Farrell; Youth, Richard Randall; Mother, Gloria Hausman; Visitor, Ted Ryberg.

EUROPEAN INVASION OPPOSED BY CHANDLER
 Long Beach, Calif., Jan. 4.—(P)—Senator Albert B. Chandler (D-Ky.) declared last night that a cross-channel invasion of the continent is unnecessary and would be "mass murder." The war in the Pacific should be stressed, he asserted.
 Chandler, one of five senators who made a 55,000-mile tour of battlefronts, told the Long Beach Dinner Club that the British people do not favor a frontal assault on the continent because of the risk and casualties that would be involved.
 "I do not believe that the German people will support the war much longer under the pressure of bombing and, in my opinion, they might not last through the winter," the senator said.

PITTSBURGH PRODUCE
 Pittsburgh, Jan. 4.—(P)—(WPA)—Produce demand fair.
 Apples 7 cars, steady. U. S. No. 1 Bu. baskets New York Greenings 3.39; eastern crates Massachusetts Baldwins and McIntosh 2.95-3.47, New York Cortlands 3.17, McIntosh 3.17-24.
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TREASURY BALANCE
 Washington, Jan. 4.—(P)—The position of the treasury Jan. 1: Receipts \$25,442,288.49; expenditures \$262,713,420.56; net balance \$12,044,403.33.53; total debt \$170,115,083,231.45; increase over previous year \$7,464,049.13.

Ration Roundup
 As of January 3
 Meats, Fats, etc.—Book Three brown stamps R and S are valid through January 29. Book Four spare stamp No. 2 good for five points of fresh pork and sausage through January 15.
 Processed Foods—Green stamps D, E and F in Book Four became valid December 1 and remain good through January 30. Stamps G, H and J valid through February 20.
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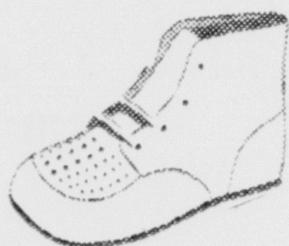


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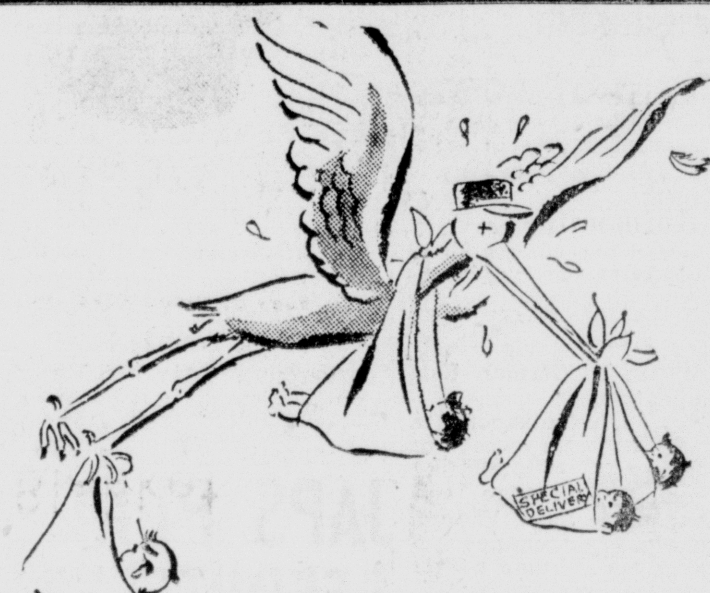
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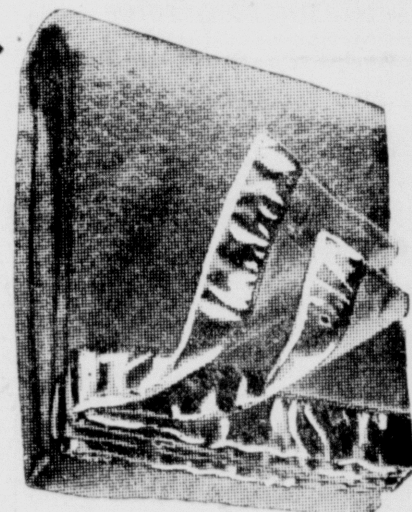
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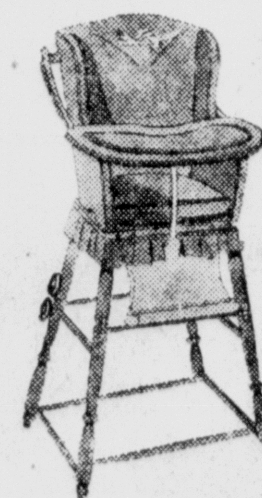
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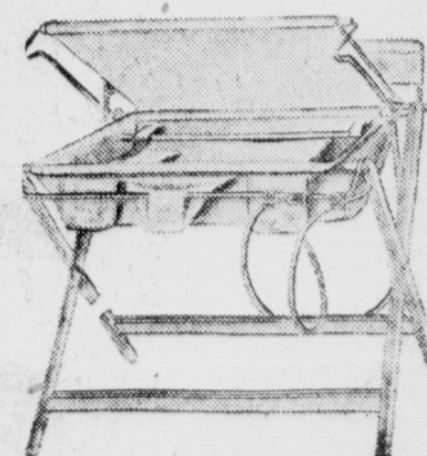
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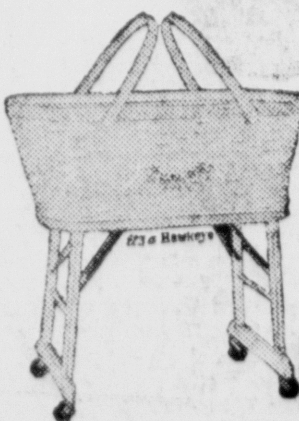
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